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9th	,,	CALEDONIA†	7,572
15th	,,	DEVANHA	8,992
22nd	,,	SICILIA‡	8,983
29th	,,	MOREA*	10,890
5th	Feb.	KAISAR-I-HIND	11,430
12th	,,	PLASSY‡	7,346
19th	,,	MALWA	10,883
26th	,,	NALDERA*	15,825

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Date About		Tons.
1921		
9th Jan.	MASHOBRA	8,200
25th ,,	ANDALA	8,246
3rd Feb.	CHANDA*	6,169
20th ,,	NEURALIA	9,082

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Date About	Steamers.	Remarks.
1921		
1st Jan.	NALDERA	Calls Colombo, Fremantle, Adelaide, Melbourne & Sydney.
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26th ,,		Calls Colombo Fremantle, Adelaide, Melbourne & Sydney.

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Date About	Steamer.	Remarks.
30th Dec.	BANDRA	P. Gulf ports via Karachi.
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Tenshin Maru	M Kitamura	4020	24th Dec	4th Jan.
Yamato Maru	N Yamakata	4379	7th Jan.	14th Jan.
Yoshida Maru No. 3	M Kojaka	4646	15th Jan	22nd Jan
Rangoon Maru	Y Nakajima	5650	27th Jan.	5th Feb.

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Indus Maru	E. Yano	15th Jan.	25th Jan.
Burma Maru	S. Kobayashi	30th Jan.	12th Feb.
Saigon Maru	I. Ijichi	16th Feb.	22nd Feb.
Kosedo Maru	T. Watanabe	15th Feb.	28th Feb.

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16	Genuine Mangin Lens Mirrors 9"	"	6	0	0
17	" " " " 8"	"	5	0	0
18	" " " " 7"	"	4	0	0
19	Ford Radiator Hose-connections No. 3006	"	0	12	0
20	" Cylinder head wrenches (Mossberg)	"	1	4	0
21	C-Clear for polishing all glasses	tin	0	12	0
22	Old Roman Solder tubes in tins	each	0	12	0
23	Billings adjustable tap & reamer wrench No. 1	"	10	0	0
24	" " " " " No. 0	"	7	8	0
25	Little Giant Reamer set No. 705	"	10	0	0
26	Ford Hub Caps, brass	dozen	7	8	0
27	Glasso for Wind-screen glasses	each	0	6	0
28	Ford Kingston Coil Units	"	12	0	0
29	Starting Handle Covers (Leather)	"	1	4	0
30	Canvas Buckets	"	3	0	0
31	Pump Tubing in one yard lengths (English)	"	0	14	0
32	Accumulator Repair Outfits	"	0	12	0
33	Goddard's Plate Powder in packets	dozen	4	8	0
34	Sylvite Polishing cloth 20" x 21"	each	2	0	0
35	Sylvite Polishing cloth 28" x 28"	each	3	8	0
36	Rubber Caps for Accumulators	"	0	6	0
37	" " " " with Bulbs	"	0	6	0
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39	Millenium Valve Spring Lifters	each	5	8	0
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41	Bumpers for Ford Cars	"	15	0	0
42	Rusco Ford Brake lining sets	set	3	8	0
43	Ford Fan Belts	each	1	4	0
44	" Rusco Brake shoes complete with lining	set	4	0	0
45	Phosphor Bronze (English) Solid and Cored	lb.	3	0	0
46	Hallite Packing	"	3	8	0
47	(a) Spring washers 3/16"	gross	3	0	0
	(b) " " 1/4"	"	3	8	0
	(c) " " 5/16"	"	4	0	0
	(d) " " 3/8"	"	4	8	0
	(e) " " 7/16"	"	5	0	0
	(f) " " 1/2"	"	5	8	0
	(g) " " 5/8"	"	6	0	0
	(h) " " 7/8"	"	6	8	0
	(i) " " 1"	"	7	0	0
48	Turner Universal Clips	box	3	0	0
49	(a) Pluxite Soldering Paste in small tins	each	0	10	0
	(b) " " " " medium tins	"	1	0	0
	(c) " " " " 1 lb. tins.	"	2	4	0
50	Khaki Press buttons complete	dozen	1	0	0
51	Wonder-Worker Fine Parts oil for Magnetos	tin	1	4	0
52	Maxican Graphite cup grease in 1 lb tins	"	0	12	0
53	(a) Oil-dag in small tins	"	0	12	0
	(b) " " " big tins.	"	3	4	0
54	Spring leaf Openers for Ford	each	1	4	0
55	Taxas Home Lubricants for all purposes small tins	"	1	0	0
56	Johnson's cleaner in small tins	"	0	14	0
57	Hand Drills	"	6	12	0
58	Champion Plug Cleaners in wooden box	"	1	12	0
59	Terry's Hose clips in boxes of 3 dozen asstd.	box	20	0	0
60	Chemico Case Hardening compound	lb.	6	0	0
61	(a) English Flat leather belting 1¼"	ft.	0	12	0
	(b) " " " " 1½"	"	0	14	0
62	(a) Harding's Stepney polish	bottle	1	0	0
	(b) " Varnish Reviver	"	1	8	0
	(c) " Leather " (Light green)	"	1	8	0
	(d) " Claret, chocolate & Bright red	"	1	14	0
63	Radorine in 2 lbs. tins for Leaky Radiators	each	3	8	0
64	Petrol Filters small size	"	6	0	0
65	Engineers' Broaches in cards	"	2	4	0
66	C. A. V. Bulb cases	"	2	14	0
67	Plain steel washers in boxes of 1 gross asstd.	"	3	12	0
68	Double spring washers do do	"	6	4	0
69	Sparking Plug adapters	"	0	8	0
70	Nicolson File brushes	"	4	0	0
71	Schrader tyre pressure gauges	"	3	8	0
72	(a) Stewart Speedometer fibre wheels	"	1	0	0
	(b) " " swivel joints	"	12	0	0
73	Electric Push buttons for Horns	"	1	8	0
74	Tinol soldering outfits	"	4	8	0
75	Berdea Carburetter control for Ford	"	20	0	0
76	Magneto contact gauges	"	2	4	0
77	Brass Beading size 3/8" in 12 ft length	"	5	0	0
78	Challenge Tumbler Switches brass	"	1	8	0
80	Duco one way switches for Electric lights	"	4	8	0
81	Duco Brass Funnels with bent spout dia 7"	"	4	8	0
82	(a) Popular Motor car Generators, brass	"	35	0	0
	(b) " " " " nickel	"	40	0	0
83	Brass Angle plate size ¾" x ¾" in 12 ft lengths	"	6	0	0
84	Corono H. & B. Blow-lamps No. 105 size 2/3 pint	"	12	0	0
85	Ford Unique Running board style 'C'	pair	24	0	0
86	Dummy Security bolts short	dozen	3	0	0
87	(a) Wonder-Worker Rim-Kote in ¼" pint tins	each	2	4	0
	(b) " " Black Engine enamel finish in ½pint,	"	2	0	0
	(c) " " Grey Engine finish in ½pint tins	tin	2	0	0
	(d) " " Iron Cement in ½ lb. tins	"	2	0	0
	(e) " " Cushion dressing in ½ pint tins	"	2	0	0
	(f) " " Jet lac " " " "	"	2	0	0
88	Spring steel washers in boxes of 1 gross asstd.	box	5	0	0
89	Dayton wire wheels for Ford complete with carrier	set of 5	225	0	0
90	Lubricating graphite powder in 1 lb. tins	tin	1	8	0
91	Taxi metre Metalic flexible tubing outer	ft.	1	0	0
	(a) " " Inner shafting	"	1	8	0
92	Bearings crapers in boxes of 3 asstd.	set	5	0	0
93	Collapsible motor goggles	each	3	0	0
94	Eight-day auto clocks (Rim wind)	"	27	8	0
95	Devre Motor clocks N. P.	"	14	0	0
96	Little Giant Gear & Wheel pullers	set	32	8	0
97	Compressed asbestos fibre jointing 1/16" thick	lb.	2	0	0
98	Accordian flexible paint-in quart tins buff colour	tin	5	8	0
99	Braime steel motor oil cans 1/3 pint	each	1	12	0
	(a) " " " " 1/2" "	"	2	4	0
100	Bowden outercasing	ft.	0	9	0
101	Motor Cycle tyre levers set of three	set	1	0	0
102	Vevo 3 spout Injectors N. P.	each	3	4	0
103	Fry's Magnolia white metal (English)	lb.	1	4	0
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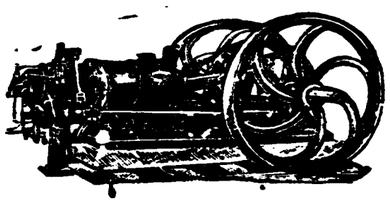

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.—WANTED.—Two SUB-OVERSEERS on the Temporary Establishment of this office. Only qualified men with good experience in Building Construction need apply, before the 15th January, 1921. Pay from Rs. 60 to Rs. 100 according to qualifications. S. V. RAJADHYAKSHA, Executive Engineer, Architectural District. Bombay, Public Works Buildings, 29th December, 1920. 7370

WANTED IMMEDIATELY the following staff for the JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT of he Tangavika Territory:—(a) ONE HEAD CLERK with thorough knowledge of Court Work having a first class knowledge of English, Gujarathi (reading and accounts) and of Hindustani age not being beyond 40 years. Salary offered Florins 300 to Florins 362 per mensem; (b) ONE FIRST GRADE CASHIER with thorough knowledge of book keeping experienced in Court Accounts if possible, perferably a Parsee, salary Florins 300 per mensem; (c) FOUR CLERICAL INTERPRETERS thoroughly capable of reading, writing and speaking Gujarathi and thoroughly conversent with that system of Book-keeping and capable of speaking Hindustani well. One of them must be able to speak kutchi well. All of them must have a thorough knowledge of English must be able to keep books and accounts. Salary Florins 85 to Florins 180 p.m; (d) THREE THIRD GRADE TYPISTS, thoroughly competent and one Shorthand Typist with a thorough knowledge of English capable of taking down evidence and transcribing rapidly into typewritten script. Salary Florins 125 rising to Florins 180 p.m.; Applications with copies of testmonials, stating experience in the respective lines, age, and present service should be adressed to the SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY, Political Department, Bombay. 7385
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WANTED.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the REGISTERED OFFICE of the CRESCENT INSURANCE CO., LIMITED, will be REMOVED to 283, HORNBY ROAD, KAVARANA BUILDING as from 1st January, 1921. 7390

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.

NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC are hereby informed that, on account of the Magh Mela, which will be held at Allahabad from the 14th January to the 12th February, 1921, the booking of all goods traffic (including coal) and livestock to and from Naini Station will be stopped from the 5th January to 13th February, 1921, both days inclusive.

The public are therefore requested to arrange their despatches accordingly.

By order,
P. C. SHERIDAN,
General Traffic Manager.

127, Calcutta, 8th December, 1920. 7003

THE TOOLSIDAS TEJPAL MILLS, LTD.

FINAL NOTICE.

PURSUANT to the resolution of the Board of Directors of the above Company passed at their Meeting held on the 16th day of December 1920. The Final Notice is hereby given to those shareholders who have not sent in their allotment moneys in respect of number of shares standing in their names in the Company's Register to pay the same on or before the 10th of January 1920 and in Case of their non-payment within due date their shares will be forfeited.

By order of the Board of Directors,
CHHOTALAL JAGJIWAN & CO.,
Agents.

Dated, 21st December, 1920.
72, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay. 7254

CANADA TO INDIA AND JAVA PORTS

A DIRECT MONTHLY SERVICE from Canada to India and Java has been inaugurated by Messrs. Ellerman and Buckhall Steamship Co., Ltd., Steamers will sail from Montreal to Port Said, Port Sudan, Aden Bombay; Cobombo Singapore Batavia and other Java ports as inducement offers.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

PUBLIC ADDRESS.

PROFESSOR SIR J. C. BOSE, LL.D., F.R.S. will deliver a Public Address, to Students and others, on

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in the Hall, ST. XAVIER'S COLLEGE, TO-DAY, (MONDAY, 3rd Jan.) at 4-15 p.m.

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NOTE:—Applications to reach not later than January 15th, 1921. 7408

UNIVERSITY OF BOMBAY.

A series of six Lectures on SOCIAL PHILOSOPHY will be delivered in the Sir Cowasji Jehangir Hall of the University on the following days commencing at 5-45 p.m. every day:

LECTURE I.—MONDAY, the 3rd January, 1921.—The conception of Citizenship.
LECTURE II.—WEDNESDAY, 5th January —The making of the Citizen.
LECTURE III.—FRIDAY, 7th January.—Vocations.
LECTURE IV.—MONDAY, 10th January.—The States.
LECTURE V.—WEDNESDAY, 12th January.—Justice.
LECTURE VI.—FRIDAY, 14th January.—Social Ideals.
LECTURER.—Prof. J. S. MACKENZIE, M.A., LL.D., Litt. D.

The Lectures are open to the public.

FARDUNJI M. DASTUR,
University Registrar.

Bombay, 20th December, 1920. 7308

THE ORIENTAL NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

NOTICE.

IT has been brought to the notice of the undersigned that Mr. BHANARAM AGARWALLA of 4, Beharaputty or Jagomohon Mullick's Lane Calcutta is collecting money from shareholders of this Company and that this is being misunderstood as a Call from the Company. In this connection we hereby beg to inform the shareholders as follows:—

(1) That Mr. Bhanaram Agarwalla is not a Director and he holds no authority from the Company. He acted as a Director for three months but as he had no qualification shares he resigned apprehending that he would be liable to pay a fine of Rs. 50 per day under Section 85 of the Indian Companies Act.
(2) That the Directors and the Managing Agents have no sympathy with his actions which are illegal, unauthorised and not at all to the interest of the Company.
(3) That there is no shareholders' Association of this Company.

BANDO & CO.,
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3, 4, 5 and 6, Hare Street,
Calcutta, the 28th December, 1920. 7415

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WANTED—8 MEDICAL INSPECTORS of Schools for the Bombay Presidency on a non-pensionable pay of Rs. 500-50-800 per mensem with Travelling Allowance according to Civil Service Regulations for 1st class officers. The Inspectors will be officers of the Educational Department.

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THE SIR SHAPURJI BROACHA MILLS, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an INTERIM DIVIDEND at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum on the amount called up and paid on the Preference Shares and Rs. 20 per share on the Ordinary Shares (both free of Income Tax) has been declared for the half-year ending 30th September, 1920, and will be paid at the Registered Office of the Company at Canada Building, Hornby Road, Fort Bombay on and after THURSDAY, the 6th January, 1921 between the hours of 12 noon and 3 p.m., (on Saturday between 12 noon and 1-30 p.m.) to those Shareholders whose names stand on the Company's Register on the 18th December 1920. Dividend Warrants of Mofussil Shareholders only will be posted to their registered address as usual: change of address, if any, should be notified at once; but owing to the Postal strike Dividend Warrants of local Shareholders will only be issued on production of Share Certificates on and after Monday the 3rd January, 1921.

By order of the Board of Directors,
MATHRADAS GOCULDAS & CO.,
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THE SYDENHAM COLLEGE OF COMMERCE AND ECONOMICS, BOMBAY.

SPECIAL EVENING COURSES.

6 lectures on "THE THEORY and PRACTICE OF FOREIGN EXCHANGES" will be delivered on WEDNESDAYS, at 6 p.m beginning on the 12th January 1921, by Prof. M. L. Tannan, B. Com. (Birm.). Rs. 3 for the course.

6 lectures (IN MARATHI) on "THE ECONOMIC ASPECT OF SOCIAL REFORM" will be delivered on Fridays at p.m., beginning on the 7th January 1921, by Prof. R. M. Joshi, (M.A., LL.B.). (Bombay). B. Sc. (Econ.). Admission free.

6 lectures (IN GUJARATI) on "INDIAN RAILWAYS" will be delivered on Mondays at 6 p.m., beginning on the 10th January 1921, by Prof. Hiralal L. Kaji, M.A., LL.B (Bombay). Admission free. 7284

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THE MAHARAJA KUMAR,
Idar State,
Himatnagar (A. P. Ry.) 7418

NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the price of B.O.C., Motor Spirit on and from the 1st January, 1921, until further notice, will be Rs. 2-1-0 per gallon.

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GRAND AUCTION AT BHAVNAGAR.

10TH JANUARY, 1921, 12-0 NOON AND SUCCEEDING DAYS.

OF unused stocks of Watches, Clocks, different kinds of Gold and Silver ornaments, Jewellery and Necklaces, etc., Leather Bages, fancy stores, cutlery, Jade, Motors, etc., worth several lakhs to be sold on 10th January, 1921, 12-0 noon.

Goods will be sold in lots according to variety, valuable articles separately.

Inspection invited from 8-0 a.m. to 6-0 p.m. any day from 5th January 1921.

For intending bidders from outside Kathiawar, accommodation and food will be provided at reasonable rates on informing the Controller, Hasur Private Department, Bhavnagar.

Lists can be had on applying to the Controller, Hasur Private Department, Bhavnagar, or Bhavnagar State Agent, Cavasji Patel Street, Fort, Bombay.

25 per cent. deposit in cash or Government Security will be required from the successful bidder for amount over Rs. 5,000, balance within one month. Any goods removed in the meantime to be paid for at a valuation to be fixed by the local authorities. Goods may be kept in the warehouse for two months at owner's risk free of charge; under Rs. 5,000 full payment and immediate delivery.

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received Chief Ordnance Officer, Bombay, Area upto 1 p.m. on 10th January, 1921, For the services of an Auctioneer to carry out Auction Sale of the Ordnance Stores, at the Ordnance and Clothing Depots, at Bombay for the period of 2 years commencing from 19th January, 1921, under the following conditions:—

(1) The sale is to be advertised at Auctioneer's expense by advertisements in the leading papers and by hand bills.
(2) The sale is to be carried out under the supervision of a representative of the Ordnance Officer.
(3) Lotting, numbering, weighing, etc., to be carried out at the Auctioneer's expense. Cooly labour being provided by the Ordnance Department.
(4) The Auctioneer will notify purchasers that stores purchased may be resold if not removed within 7 days of sale.
(5) The proceeds of the sale are to be paid by the Auctioneer into the Bank of Bombay on a receivable order obtained from the Ordnance Officer within 7 days of the date of sale.
(6) Responsibility for recovery of payments for stores sold shall rest with the Auctioneer and any loss due to amounts not recovered shall be borne by the Auctioneer.
(7) The Chief Ordnance Officer does not bind himself to accept any tender.
(8) Tender forms can be obtained at the Ordnance Depot, Bombay on payment of Re. 1.

H. CLARKE, Major R.A.,
Chief Ordnance Officer Bombay.
Ordnance Depot.
Bombay, 30th December, 1920. 7409

SALES BY AUCTION.

MESSRS. MEHTA & CO.

On Government and G. I. P. Railway List.

AUCTION SALE OF 7 "DAIMLER" LORRIES (3 TONS CAPACITY.)

On WEDNESDAY, the 5th January 1921, Messrs. MEHTA and Co., will sell by Public Auction at the China Bagh, Girgum Back Road.

7 "Daimler" Lorries (3 tons capacity), 4 cylinder with brand new Dexie magneto, new Zenith carburetors.

The above Lorries are on view at the place of Auction.

MEHTA & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 3rd January, 1921.

SALES BY AUCTION.

BENNETT & CO.

AUCTION SALE OF MATERIALS.

Under instructions from the Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay, Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will THIS DAY Monday, the 3rd January, 1921, at 4 p.m. B.T.) sell by Public Auction on the premises the materials of the parapet wall and the surrounding pavement of the Nakhoda Tank behind the St. Zaviers College, Dhobie Talao.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE DIAMOND EMERALD AND PEARL ORNAMENTS.

TO-MORROW Tuesday, 4th Jan. 1921, at 3 p.m. (S. T.), Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, by order of the Mortgagee, Mr. Hooseinbhoy Ahmedbhoy and on account and risk of the mortgagor, Mr. Gore Panday the Raja of Sandurana:—

1 necklace (Galaband) of 51 large pearls about 125 chows.
1 necklace 96 large pearls, about 175 chows.
1 Broach set with diamond and rubies.
1 necklace set with diamand and emerald.
1 necklace set with diamonds and rubies and ruby pendant.

The above will be on view 3 days before the sale.

On WEDNESDAY, the 5th January, 1921, at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at "Connaught House", Queen's Road, behind the Church Gate Station, very valuable and handsome household furniture, rich glass and crockeryware, dining table, arm and without arm chairs, sideboards and dumbwaiters, teapoys and carpets, door curtains, single and double bedsteads, blackwood chest of drawers, dressing and wash-hand tables, dressing chest of drawers, single and double almyrahs, one Singer sewing machine, one sweet-toned cottage piano by Sneider and pianola, gramophone, 36 volume complete set of Encyclopaedia Britannica, one Milner safe, hat and umbrella stands, single and double meatsafes, copper and aluminium utensils, garden pots, grass cuttin, machine, etc., etc. The property of Major-General W. B. James, C.B., C.I.E., M.V.O., Commanding Bombay Brigade, and others.

Catalogues are published and property is on view.

AUCTION SALE OF VERY VALUABLE FLOUR MILLS, known as "Nevetia Flour Mills, Ltd.", in Liquidation, situate at Mahim, near the B. B. and C. I. Railway, Mahim Railway Station.

Under instructions from J. R. Patel, Esq., the Liquidator of the above Mills, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will, on MONDAY, the 10th January at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.) sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, No. 22, Apollo Street, Fort, the whole of the Mills, building, machinery, plant, motors, electric light installation, pulleys, spare parts, etc., together with the leasehold land containing about 17,096 square yards or thereabouts.

There is a siding laid by the B. B. and C. I. Railway Co., into the mill the benefit of which will also be given to the purchaser.

The Mill is worked through Tata Hydro-Electric Company's Electric Power.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to Messrs. Patel and Ezekiel, Solicitors to the Liquidator, or to the undersigned.

AUCTION SALE OF JAPANESE COTTON SOCKS.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, the 3rd instant at 3-30 p.m. ((S.T.) Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will sell by Public Auction at their Rooms, at Messrs. Dawooally and Co.'s Godown at Cement Chawl, Koliwada and by their order and on account and risk of the defaulting purchasers Memon Hoosein Haji Cassum.

12 cases each 100 dozens Japanese Cotton socks.

1 case 31 dozens Japanese cotton socks.

AUCTION SALE OF 25 BALES OF ILLUSTRATED OLD NEWSPAPERS.

On SATURDAY, the 8th instant at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.) Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, by order of Messrs. Volkart Bros. and on account and risk of the defaulting Indentor Hakmuddin Abdul Husein, Sutar Chawl, Bombay.

V. 843 B 101/125 equal 25 bales each about 5 cwt. containing illustrated old newspapers such as sketches and for Ladies' Pictorials and for illustrated sporting and for Dramatic News and or London News, etc.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at th etime of sale.

BENNETT & Co.,
Bombay, 3rd January, 1921.

CRAWFORD & CO.

AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION AGENTS BOMBAY

No. 16, Apollo Street, Fort.
Telephone No. 521.
WEEKLY SALE.

SALE TO-DAY.

AUCTION SALE OF 8 C/S OF BRACES.

By the order of Messrs. C. Boggiano and Co., and on account and risk of the defaulting purchaser Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. Auctioners will sell by Public Auction on Monday, the 3rd January 1921, at 3 p.m. S.T.) at their Rooms the following:—

C 007 B No. 1—1 c/s contg. 300 doz. sizes 20" x 4"—16" x 3"—14" x 3.'
C 007 B No. 2—1 c/s contg. 300 doz. sizes 20" x 4"—16" x 3"—14" x 3".
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C 007 B 4—1 c/s contg. 315 doz. sizes 20" x 4"—16" x 3"—14" x 3".
C 007 B No. 5—1 c/s contg. 261 doz. sizes 20" x 4"—16" x 3"—14" x 3".
C 007 B No. 6—1 c/s contg. 327 doz. sizes 20" x 4"—16" x 3"—14" x 3".
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2430 doz. in all.

A deposit of 25 per cent. required at the time of sale.

SALE TO-DAY.

AUCTION SALE of Artistic Household and Office Furnitures, Phonographs with Records, Varnish Cases, Clarifier Machine, Sundry Articles, Bycicles, etc.

Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., Auctioneers will sell by Public Auction on MONDAY, the 3rd January 1921, at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.) at their Auction Rooms No. 16 Apollo Street, Fort, the following:

Household and Office furnithre such as drawing Room Suites of Sofas and chairs, armed and armless chairs, mirror-door cupboards, writing and dressing tables, fancy teapoys, mirror sideboards, fancy cupboards, bookstands, etc.

By order of the Office concerned and on account and risk of Fidsali Mahomedali, Varnish Merchant, Bhajipala Street, 30 cases Varnish "Flag" Brand, Manufactured by Messrs. Sandemen Bros. Glasgow:—

14 cases, each 60 tins, (quarter gallons), copal varnish.
6 cases, each 60 tins, (quarter gallons) carriage varnish.
10 cases, each 15 tins, (one gallons) copal varnish.

By order of the Office concerned and on account and risk of Mr. Mahomedali Abdullabhoy Rangwala, Varnish Merchant, Bhajipala, Street:—

16 cases Varnish ex S. S. "Kingsmere," manufactured by Messrs. Sandemen Bros., Glasgow.

1 "Charples" Super Carifer paragraph Steel boot moulds, paperfiles, cashboxes, etc. Steel boot moulds, paperfiles cashboxes, etc. 3 doz. new rhono records and 6 horns.

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CRAWFORD & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 3rd January, 1921.

SALES BY AUCTION.

MESSRS. SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO.

Auctioneers and Commission Agents.
(81, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay).

SALE BY ORDER OF THE CONTROLLER (SALES), BOARD OF INDUSTRIES AND MUNITIONS.

Messrs. SORABJEE COWASJEE and Co. will sell by orders of the Controller (Sales), Board of Industries and Munitions, will by Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY, the 5th January 1921, at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), at the Government Stores Depot, Hajee Bunder Seeree, the following:—

Steam Steering Engine and Steering Wheel, Motor Electric Ships King, type 400 Volts 2.5 H.P., Kichen Galles, bearing Metal, Copper Sheets, Flare Lights; Hammers, Glass Sheeter, Files Tool Steel Coppers Hammers, Steel Wire, Sleeves for Drills, Mallets, Chairs, Table; Benches Cupboards and other Stores.

The goods can be inspected at the above Government Depot between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. daily before the sale.

Full particulars of the goods can be obtained of the Controllers (Sales), at his Office at New Customs House, Ballard Pier, or of the undersigned.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of knocking the lot to the buyer and the balance shall be paid within days and the goods removed within fourteen days from the day of sale, other conditions will be declared at the time of sale.

AUCTION SALE of Valuable Immoveable Properties situate at Lamington Road near the Lane to Topiwalla Chawl.

Messrs SORABJEE COWASJEE and Co., Auctioneers, will under instructions from and by order of Marwadi Lalji Khusalji and Co., the Mortgagee and on account and at the risk of Archav Govind Khedkar the Mortgagor and pursuant to the power of sale reserved to the said Mortgagees under the Indenture of Mortgage dated 21st April 1920, sell by Public Auction on TUESDAY, the 18th January, 1921 at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.) on the premises the undermentioned properties.

PARTICULARS OF PROPERTIES.

FIRSTLY.—All that piece or parcel of foras land or ground, being a portion of lane which is known by the name of Chunam Kiln Street or Lamington Road, which is situated behind Khetwadi Lane outside the Fort of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 300 square yards or thereabouts together with all messuages tenement or buildings standing thereon, in the registration sub-district of Bombay, Girgaum D. Ward and assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 75 and New No. 13572 Old Survey No. 186 and New Survey No. 7386 and assessed by the Municipality of Bombay under D Ward No. 89/85 and Street No. 2D and bounded on or towards the East by the property of Powiawalla on or towards the West by the property of Gunpat Vithoba Moraj on or towards the South by the property of Krishnarao Ramchanda Gith and on or towards the North by a passage.

SECONDLY:—All that piece or parcel of foras land or ground, being a portion of a lane known by the name of Chunam Kiln Street or Lamington Road, and which is situated behind the Khetwadi Lane outside the Fort of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 375 Square Yards or thereabouts together with all messuages, tenement or buildings standing thereon, in the registration sub-district of Bombay, Girgaum D Ward and assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 75 and New No. 7/13572 Old Survey No. 186 and New Survey No. 7/7386 and assessed by the Municipality of Bombay under D Ward No. 1900 (4) and Street No. 2D and bounded on or towards the East by the property of Waman Daneker Pitale on or towards the West by the property of Annandrao Krishnarao on or towards the South by a passage and on or towards the North by the property of Sahajee Jeram.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to the undersigned Auctioneers.

SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 3rd January 1921.

J. S. MODY & CO.

AUCTIONEERS.

20, Apollo Street, Fort.
Telephone No. 3409.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY AT NIZAM STREET NEAR NULL BAZAR.

Under instructions from Messrs. Mathuradas Jamietram and Madan, Attorneys for the mortgagee and on account and at the risk of the mortgagors Jiwal, widow of Dalcoobhoy Thaker, Nassanbhai Dattoo and Hashbhoy Dattoo and in pursuance of the power of sale reserved to the mortgagee under the deed of mortgage dated the 22nd day of December, 1917, and made between the mortgagors of the one part and mortgagee of the other part, Messrs. J. S. MODY and Co., Auctioneers will, on THURSDAY, the 6th day of January, 1921, at 4-30 p.m. sell by public auction on the premises the undermentioned property, viz:—

All that piece or parcel of quit and ground rent land or ground together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house, hereditaments and premises standing thereon situate lying and being at Nizam Street outside the Fort in the Island and Registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement 176 and five ninths square yards or thereabouts registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 2858, New No. 9669, Old Survey Nos. 1720-1721-1719 and New Survey No. 2/883 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under C Ward No. 6427 and Street Nos. 77-79 and bounded as follows that is to say on or towards the East by the property of Haji Suleman Allimistry, on or towards the West by the property of Hajee Ebrahim Haji Suleman, on or towards the north by a sweeper's passage and on towards the South by the said Nizam Street and which premises are now in the occupation of the tenants of the mortgagors.

For further particulars and conditions of sale application may be made to Messrs. Matubhai Jamietram and Madan, Attorneys for the mortgagee at their office No. 9 Bell Lane, Fort or to the undersigned.

J. S. MODY & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 3rd January 1921.

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By the order of the officer in charge cloth Depot Messrs. RICHARD and READYMONEY will sell by Public Auction on TUESDAY, the 11th January, 1821 at 11 a.m. (S.T.) at Mazagaon near the 'G' Shed Old Woolen and Cotton Clothing, Blankets, Boots, Shoes, etc.

A deposit of 50 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

AUCTION SALE TO-DAY AT 2-30 P.M. (S.T.)

Messrs. RICHARD & READYMONEY, Auctioneers will sell by Public Auction on MONDAY, the 3rd January, 1921, at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.) at their Auction Room No. 41, Esplanade Road drawing room, office room and dining room furniture, gold and silver watches, very valuable diamond and ruby and pearl rings, bracelet, taiful, bangles, earing, etc.

Goods on view.

AUCTION SALE of Very Valuable Teak and Black Wood Furniture Drawing, Furnitures, Side Board Writing Table Double Wooden Cot, Mirzapure Carpet Chairs, Office Clock, Iron Safe, etc., etc. etc. etc.

Messrs. RICHARD & READYMONEY, Auctioneers will sell by Public Auction on FRIDAY, the 7th January 1921 at 2-30 p.m. S.T.) at their Auction Room No. 41 Esplanade Road next to Messrs Mulla and Mulla, Solicitors' Office the above mentioned goods.

Property will be on view before the three days of the sale date. A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

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Bombay, 3rd January 1921.

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To-day Monday at 6-30 8-15 & 10 p. m.

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The world-renowned story of the famous 18th Century Actress

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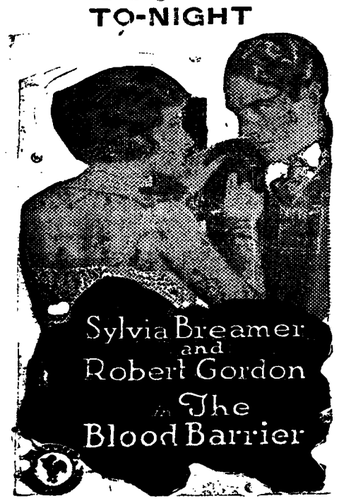

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These feature productions will be shown for one day only and will NOT be repeated.

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To-day Monday 3rd January 1921
'Masks and Faces'
Starring every leader of the British Stage

To-morrow Tuesday 4th January 1921
'Holy Orders'
Marie Corelli's Masterpiece

Wednesday 5th January 1921
'Within the Law'
Featuring Alice Joyce

Thursday 6th January 1921
'Better Ole'
The Great War Play

Friday 7th January 1921
"Infatuation"
featuring Gaby Deslys

Please note the change of time in our special Advertisement.

THE EMPRESS

To-day Monday 3rd January 1921
'Barrier'
The famous Novel by Rex Beach

To-morrow Tuesday 4th January 1921
'Macbeth'
featuring Sir Herbert Tree

Wednesday 5th January 1921
'Deemster'
By Hall Caine

Thursday 6th January 1921
'Mahabharat'
The Colossal Epic of the Bharata Nation

Friday 7th January 1921
'Julius Caesar'
The greatest film of the age since "Quo Vadis"

Please note the change of time in our special Advertisement.

Messrs. K. D. and Brothers

will present

NEXT WEEK

Commencing Saturday 8th Jan,

'DAMAGED GOODS"

A Superb Screen Version of the most sensational and startling stage drama of the age—

"Damaged Goods"
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"Damaged Goods"
"Damaged Goods"

at the

West-End Cinema

(New Churney Road).

Messrs. K. D. and BROTHERS will present to-night

"THE LOST CITY"

(OPENING 3 EPISODES—6,000 FEET)

A SENSE-STAGGERING FILM

Ferocious Beasts of the African Jungles playing their part in a manner that stupefy you

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DAILY CHANGE OF PROGRAMME

MONDAY, the 3rd January.

WHOM THE GODS WOULD DESTROY

Adapted from Charles R. Macaulay's famous novel. sweeping vision of human passion from birth of man to the present.

TUESDAY, the 4th January.

THE TERROR ISLAND

Paramount Artcraft Production

Featuring Harry Houdini, the famous Handcuff King

WEDNESDAY, the 5th January.

DARBY AND JOAN

From the pen of Sir Hall Caine featuring Derwent Hall Caine, the author's son and the beutiful star Ivy Close.

THURSDAY, the 6th January.

GIRL OF THE SEA

A Williamson Submarine Production featuring Betty Hillburn.

FRIDAY, the 7th January.

DARING HEARTS

A Vitagraph production featuring the inimitable Francis X. Bushman and lovely Beverley Bayne.

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CABLE QUOTATIONS.

COTTON.

OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

(Reuter's Telegram.)

Liverpool, Dec. 29th.

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES:—

Months.	To-days prices.
Dec.	—
Jan.	9.01
Feb.	—
Mar.	9.22
April	—
May	9.42
June	—
July	9.59
Aug.	—
Sept.	—
Oct.	9.62
Nov.	—

Prices taken at 10-10 a. m. nearest actual values.

Liverpool, Dec. 30th.

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES:—

Months.	To-day's prices.
Dec.	9.32
Jan.	9.16
Feb.	—
Mar.	9.31
April	—
May	9.47
June	—
July	9.71
Aug.	—
Sep.	—
Oct.	9.86
Nov.	—

Prices taken at 10-10 a. m. nearest actual values.

CLOSING PRICES.

Liverpool, Dec. 31st.

Months	To-day's prices.
Jan.	8.92
Mar.	9.09
May	9.27
July	9.44

AMERICAN MARKETS

New York, Dec. 29th.

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	22,000
" Exports to Great Britain	Nil
" " to Continent	Nil
Futures at New York March	13.87
" " May	13.99
" " July	14.08
Spot Cotton at New York	16.00
" " Orleans	13.50
Futures at New Orleans March	13.32
" " May	13.51
Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality)	6 3/16
Demand Bills	3.51.25
U. S. Mixed	90 1/2
" " Foreign	86 5/8

New York, Dec. 31st.

Futures at New York March	13.69
" " May	13.85
" " July	14.06

MONEY MARKETS.

London, Dec. 29th.

Rentes 3%	58
Bar Silver Spot	43
" 2 months hence	43 1/8

Closing Tone of Silver:—Small supplies china buying quiet Buyers satisfied.

Discount, Bank of England Rate 7% since 15th April 1920.

Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st	6 11/16
" Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st	6 3/4
" Fine Trade Bills 3 months	7 1/8
" " " 6 "	7¼
Bar Gold (per oz.)	116/3

Tone of Gold:—New york took fairly large amount.

Interest day to day loans	6 3/4
" 7 day marks thence	6 1/4
Telegraphic Transfers	1/5 1/2
Canada 3½%	44 1/2
Bapoe Paper 3½%	34 1/2
Indian Stock—3½% Sterling Loans	53
Government Securities 3%	46 3/4
On London at Paris	80.10
" France	

WAR LOANS.

London, Dec. 29th.

Funding Loan 4% 1960/90	57 1/4
Victory Bonds 4%	72
War Loan 5% 1920/47	82 1/8

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

London, Dec. 29th

WHEAT.

Australian Quoted	148
Argentine	—

SEEDS.

Rapeseed, Ferozepore Rail Bold Dec.-Jan. Nominal	22 1/2
Rapeseed, Brown, Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship Dec.-Jan. Quoted	8 1 2

Tone of Rapeseed:—Inactive lower to sell.

Linseed, Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-Ship Jan.-Feb. Paid	224
Linseed, Argentine (La Plata) Dec.-Jan. Nominal	219 3/4
Linseed, Argentine (La Plata) Jan.-Fe. Sellers	220 3/4
Cottonseed, Bombay (sound delivered) per ton) Jan.-Feb. New crop quoted	210 1/2
Tons Rapeseed:—Dec.-Jan. Nominal	21 1/2

Tone of Linseed:—Very quiet.

METALS.

English best Selected Copper	£82
Standard Copper G. M. B.	£70 5/0
Copper Brazers	£133
Yellow Metal	13 1/2
Hard Spelter	—
Corrugated Sheets	£33

JAVA SUGAR.

Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta Jan.-Jan. Value	33
Fine White Java, C. & F. Bombay Jan.-Jan. Value	34/6
Fine White Java, C. & F. Karachi Jan.-Jan. Value	34/9

Tone:—Firm. Some speculative demand.

RUBBER.

Para Rubber Fine Hard Cure Jan.-Feb.	1 1/2
Plantation First Latex Crepe for Ja.	16 1/4d

Tone:—Dull.

BEEF & MUTTON TALLOW.

London Dec. 29th.

Finest Australian Beef Tallow	Dull
" Mutton	
General Tone of Tallow Auction	

BOMBAY RACING SEASON

FIFTH EXTRA MEETING.

MARGARET JOYCE WINS THE WINDSOR PLATE.

(By our Racing Correspondent.)

A full attendance witnessed the Fifth Extra Meeting of the Bombay Racing Season, at Mahalami, yesterday. The poor attendance of ladies was most noticeable due, no doubt, to the social obligations of the New Year's Day which kept the womenfolk at home. The weather was pleasant and the sport most interesting. On the whole punters fared well, as many favourities romped home easy winners. Sammy, Miss Goodenough and Cresset, however, by failing to win caused a good deal of disappointment. For some unaccountable reason Rai Grison was heavily backed. He flashed out for a little while and petered away at the turn. Among those present at the races yesterday was Mr. Mathuradass Goculdass who has just returned from Carcutta where he won the King-Emperor's and the Viceroy's Cups with that wonderful horse, Roubaix. He was the recipient of numerous congratulations from his many friends. In tendering him our sincere congratulations we will add that he well deserves all the successes he has scored on the Indian Turf.

The three divisions of the Borivli Plate were the first three events of the day. These were for Arab ponies 14 hands and under distance 6 fursongs, and the conditions terms W. A. In all these three races public fancies won comfortably. For though Sammy missed to be there by a short head, Moon was also heavily backed and so were Beadmaker and Karam. Surhan quite an unknown horse was very heavily backed in the first race probably on some track gossip. He never came under the starter's order as he dislodged his jockey before the race.

As we hinted the other day Belle Voyageuse is running out of her class in the third division. Though she was piled with weight in the 1st Division of the Carlisle Plate of 6 furlongs for horses in the 3rd Division she simply left her field standing the moment she was called upon to do so. She—She the hope of many, could only secure second honours behind the good mare, Miss Goodenough, who started favourite in the other division of the same plate, was beaten by Gavrelle, a mare trained by T. Harrison. In this race the grey English horse, Roi Grison, flattered his numerous supporters for a little while.

Only seven accepted in the most important event of the day, the Windsor Plate, of 5 furlongs for horses in the 1st and 2nd Divisions Cresset, who was heavily backed, failed to beat Margaret Joyce who few days' back could not beat this class with 8 stones. A difference of 1 pounds in her weight enabled her to win yesterday as she liked. We understand that Jack Townsend, her jockey, was called to explain her running in the X'mas Plate the other day. It would appear that in that race she was blocked and could find no opening hence she failed to secure a place. Aleli who won that race cracked the pace like a meteor and of course, nothing could live with him in that race.

In the small field which started in the New Year Handicap, White Simon was installed favourite and Le Verguier second in demand. Le Verguier won easily from Chair Las who ran most prominently all the way.

A. Bowley rode a fine race on Karikata who defeated Hakum in the Anderhi Plate of 1 mile for Arabs in the 1st and 2nd Divisions.

In the race Anxious, ridden by Selman, took a flying start and was soon lengths ahead of the eld. He was overtaken at the 3rd furlong and though he received a severe castigation, ar from home he had shot his bolt and was done with.

Among the successful jockeys and trainers of the dy were Lambert who won two races Bowley two, Harrison two, Longhurst and Townsend one each. T. Harrison trained one winner, Shamlan, Bell, Ryan, Dr. Haji Cumbera and Byramjee one each. We notice tht George Bell, the new trainer has begun this season well. He has already had two wins nd two places. He has succeeded in making quite a new animal of Belle Voyageuse.

The levecrossing at Mahalaxmmi is an intolerable nisance. It increases the duty of the police who have to regulate an unmanageable traffic and it irritates the public to the highest pitch. Just at the busiest moment on a race day, at about quarter-to-two, the gates are found closed to allow a number of trains to pass through or as more often is the case, to allow the shunting of the cutchera train or some such wagons. The public are obliged to wait as long as twenty minutes before the gates are opened and when they do one can imagine the confusion caused by hundreds of carriages and motor cars which try to force through at one and the same moment in spite of the presence of the police. This is a great blot on this city's traffic.

Mirabelle did not start in the 1st Division of the Carbile Plate as she sustained an injury in her stall.

Details:—

THE BORIVLI PLATE (Div. I)—Distance —6 furlongs (41 yards).

Winner, Rs. 1,000; second Rs. 300; third Rs. 200. For Arab Ponies 14 hands and under in the 3rd Division.

Messrs. H. Ibrahimjee and P. Sursing's KARAM, 8-2, Bowley 1
Mr. Aareef's ORNATE, 9-0, McPherson ...
Mr. Lantin's LAST DAY, 8-2. Cracknell...
Messrs. Pasu Malsee and D. S. Irani's NASARALLA, 8-5, Bullock .....

Also ran:—Shatra, Duke of Sparta, Financier, Magdala, Arvil, Sugger, Roomi, Dumra.

Did not run: My Royal, Shah, Theara, Velvet, Mighty Atom, and Surhan.

The Race:—Dumra broke the line and led Ornate and Nasaralla for the commencement of the journey, at the 3rd furlong Ornate took command from Dumra who faded away, Ornate entered the straight looking a winner until he was challenged by Karam who came with a wet sail to win by 2 lengths, ½ length. Last Day displaced Nasaralla for third place by a neck.

Surahan dislodged his rider and bolted the money being refunded on him for win and place.

Favourites Nasaralla, Karam and Magdala.

Won by 2 lengths, ½ length 2nd and 3rd, a neck 3rd and 4th.

Time—1min. 26 2/5secs.

First Totalizator piad Rs. 45 for won and Rs. 20-8, 41-8, 60 for places.

Second Totalizator paid Rs. 34-8 for win and Rs. 10, 23-8, 21 for places

Trainer—Cumberally.

THE BORIVLI PLATE (Div. II)—Distance 6 furlongs (41 yards).

Winner, Rs. 1,000; second, Rs. 300; third, Rs. 200. For Arab Ponies 14 hands and under in the 3rd Division.

Mr. Lantin's BEADMAKER, 8-2. Lambert
Mr. F. Valimahomed's ALIGARH, 9-4, Longhurst .....
Messrs. Hamdan Hamood and A. K. Glasswala's HONEYSUCKLE, 7-12, Bullock ...
Mr. Goodwill's BALANCE, 7-12, Townsend

Also Ran.—Bluey Lee, Clinker, Cleaver, Prince Charlie, Aeroplane, Peace Day, Wafadar, Crescent, Palanpur, Freville White Rose.

Did not run: Grey Gazelle, Heckler and Hindoostan.

The Race:—Peace Day made the early running from Aeroplane, White Rose and Honeysuckle, they maintained this order till the 2nd furlong post where Peace Day and White Rose retired from the contest, followed soon after by Aeroplane, Honeysuckle then entered the straight with Beadmaker next, Beadmaker soon asserted himself and won easily from Aligarh who snatched the second place from Honeysuckle by 1 length, 1½ lengths.

Favourites Beadmaker and Clinker.

Won by 1 length, 1 length 2nd and 3rd 1½ length 3rd and 4th.

Time—1min. 26 2/5secs.

First Totalizator paid Rs. 31-8 for win and Rs. 16-8, 34-8, 37 for places.

Second Totalizator paid Rs. 14 for win and Rs. 9, 15, 20-8 for places.

Trainer—Dr. Haji.

THE BORIVLI PLATE (Div. III)—Distance 6 furlongs (41 yards).

Winner, Rs. 1,000; second, Rs. 300; third, Rs. 200. For Arab Ponies 14 hands and under in the 3rd Livision.

Mr. Ali bin Talib's MOON, 8-6, Harrison.. 1
Mr. E. H. Gahagan's SAMMY, 9-3, Longhurst .....
Mr. K. Cassumbhoy's TAWDRY, 8-10, Cracknell 3
Mr. Abdul Karim Dakayel's CATRIDGE, 9-0, Raymond .....

Also Ran:—Companion, Paymaster, Latiff, Sun, Sharaban, Justice, Yavar, Hikmat, Imkin, Jerwan, Moderate, Shama, Mumtaz.

Did not run: Sir Richard.

The Race:—A very bad start was seen in this race, Shama cracked the pace from Moon, and Tawdry, they raced in this order till the 2nd furlong post where Cartridge joined the leader and Shama fell back, Moon and Tawdry raced abreast into the straight where Sammy appeared on the scene and after an exciting finish Moon waided off the vigorous challenge of Sammy, by a short head, 1½ lengths, ½.

Favourite—Sammy.

Won by a short head, 1½ lengths 2nd and 3rd, ½ length 3rd and 4th.

Time—1min. 26 4/5secs.

First Totalizator paid Rs. 48-8 for win and Rs. 14-8, 13, 29 for places.

Second Totalizator paid Rs. 20-8 for win and Rs. 7-8, 14, 8 for places.

Trainer—Owner.

THE CARLISLE PLATES (Div. I.)—Distance 6 furlongs (41 yards).

Winner, Rs. 2,000; second, Rs. 700; third, Rs. 300. A High Weight Handicap for Horses in the 3rd Division.

Captain P. Bouvet's BELLE VOYAGEUSE II, 9-10, Longhurst, ...
Mr. Heath's SHE SHE, 7-13, Donnelly ... 2
Mr. Noble's BARTO, 8-8, Buckley 3
Mr. Kelso's ST. AGNES EVE, 8-2, McPherson .....

Also Ran:—Oregon Pine, Batten, Caraway, My Patsey, Overseas, Midton, Substance, Allensmore.

Did not run: Mirabelle.

The Race:—Barto and She She were most prominent when they were sent away with My Patsey and Belle Voyageuse following on. This order was maintained till near the secodn stands when Belle Voyageuse emerged from her back position to win in a convincing manner from She She and Barto by 1¾ length, short head, head.

Favourites Belle Voyageuse and She She.

Won by 1¼ lengths, short head 2nd and 3rd, a head 3rd and 4th.

Time—1mim. 17 3/5secs.

First Totalizator paid Rs. 82 for win and Rs. 16-8, 18, 44-8 for places.

Second Totalizator paid Rs. 20 for win and Rs. 8, 8-8, 17-8 for places.

Trainer—G. Bell.

THE CARLISLE PLATE. (Div. II)—Distance 6 furlongs (41 yards).

Winner, Rs. 2,000; second Rs. 700; third Rs. 300. A High Weight Handicap for Horses in the 3rd Division.

Mr. T. Harrison's GAVRELLE, 7-13, Harrison 1
Mr. Kelso's MISS GOODENOUGH, 8-9, McPherson .....
Mr. J. Rustomjee's LUCKY QUEEN, 8-6, Rose 3
Mr. Heath's KALOOLAH, 7-12, Donnelly

Also Ran:—Japanese Pine, Fine Trout, Gladiator, South Star, Bathurst, Roi Grison.

Did not run: Vlinger.

The Race:—They got away fairly level when, Fine Trout went to the front followed by Roi Grison, Kaloolah and Lucky Queen there was very slight change in the order until the 2nd furlong post where Fine Trout fell back, Roi Grison did likewise, before they reached the home turn Miss Goodenough, Lucky Queen and Gavrelle then made bid for supremacy, Gavielle won an exciting race by a length from Miss Goodenough, 3/4 length, head.

Favourite Miss Goodenough.

Won by 1 length, 2 length 2nd and 3rd. a head 3rd and 4th.

Time—1min. 17 2/5secs.

First Totalizator paid Rs. 86-8 for win and Rs. 27-8, 16, 47-8 for places.

Second Totalizator paid Rs. 51-8 for win and Rs. 14, 8, 18-8, for places.

Traienr—Owner.

THE WINDSOR PLATE.—Distance 5 furlongs (Straight).

Winner, Rs. 10,000; second Rs. 3,000; third, Rs. 2,000. A High weight Handicap for Horses in the 1st and 2nd Divisions.

Mr. S. N. Mahomed's MARGARET JOYCE, 7-9, Townsend 1
Messrs. A. S. Moloobhoy and Pine's CRESSET, 9-3, Bowley 2
Mr. K. Shinde's BLACK WALNUT, 8-6, Rose 3
Mr. M. Goculdass FORFEIT LASS, 7-10, Herbert 4

Also Ran:—Camberley, Liberty, Crushed Glass.

Did not run: Waynflete, The Plough, Trestan, and Murmansk.

The Race:—Forfeit Loss was first out of the barrier closely pursued by Crushed Glass Margaret Joyce and Black Walnut, Forfeit Lass and Crushed Glass gave up on the way home leaving Margaret Joyce in command. She won comfortably by 3/4 length from Cresset, the same distance between the 3rd and 4th.

Favourite Cresset.

Won by 3/4 length, 3/4 length 2nd and 3rd, 3/4 length 3rd and 4th.

Time—1min. 1/5secs.

First Totalizator paid Rs. 103-8 for win and Rs. 23, 14-8 for places.

Second Totalizator paid Rs. 52 for win and Rs. 12, 7-8 for places.

Trainer—M. Ryan.

THE NEW YEAR HANDICAP—Distance 1 mile.

Winner, Rs. 4,000; second, Rs. 1,250; third, Rs. 750. A Handicap for Horses 4 yrs. old only. (Horses foaled in 1917)

Mr. R. R. S's LE VERGUIER, 8-1, Lambert 1
Mr. M. Goculdass' CAHIR LASS, 9-0, Easton 2
Mr. Heath's MARCODIA, 8-5, Donnelly ... 3
Mrs. Fleetwood's WHITE SIMON, 7-6, Harrison 4

Also Ran.—Ampanda, Tresham, Hibernia.

Did not run: Discussion and Pine Park.

The Race:—Hibernia led for a brief space from Cahir Lass, the latter then went ahead at a smart pace bringing Marcodia, Le Verguier and White Simon along. Cahir Lass was first round the home turn but was deprived of the lead by Le Verguin who went on to win by 1½ lengths, 1 1/2 lengths, 6 lengths.

Favourite Le Verguier.

Won by 1½ lengths, 1½ lengths 2nd and 3rd, 6 length 3rd and 4th.

First Totalizator paid Rs. 28 for win and Rs. 16-8, 33 for places.

Second Totalizator paid Rs. 16 for win and Rs. 9, 13 for places.

Trainer—Byramjee Rustomjee.

THE ANDHERI PALTE—Distance 1 mile.

Winner, Rs. 4,000; second, Rs. 1,250; third Rs. 750. A High Weight Handicap for Horses in the 1st and 2nd Divisions.

Mr. S. N. Mahomed's KARIKATA, 8-8, Bowley .....
Mr. Ali bin Talib's HAKUM, 8-6. Harrison
Mr. Heath's SHAHZADA, 8-2, McPherson
Mr. M. Goculdass' MENTOR, 9-5, Herbert 4

Also Ran.—Dartmoor, Mandil, Rose Hill Benaree, Nevermind, Paladin, Tiger King, Anxious.

Did not run: Ferry Boat and Zuheir.

The Race:—Anxious set the pace to Tiger and Rose Hill. They ran in this order till the 2nd furlong where Anxious under severe chastisement fell away, Rose Hill and Tiger then brought the field along at a fast pace when they were joined by Karika a, Hakum and Shahzada the last named fought out the issue, Karikata winning by 3/4 length, head 1½ lengths.

Favourite Karikata.

Won by ½ length a head, 2nd and 3rd, 1½ lengths 3rd and 4th.

Time—1min. 50 4/5secs.

First Totalizator paid Rs. 38-8 for win and Rs. 14-8, 18, 21 for places.

Second Totalizator paid Rs. 39-8 for win and Rs. 8, 10, 10-8 for places.

Trainer—A. M. Shamlan.

INTER-VARSITY CROSS-COUNTRY RACE.

ENGLISH TEAM'S VICTORY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Dec. 30.
Recd. 7 p.m., Jan. 1.

The Inter-Varsity cross-country race at Roehampton between a combined Oxford and Cambridge team and Cornell, America resulted in a win for the former. Individual placings were as follows:—

First McInnes, (Oxford) time:—42 minutes 9 4/5 seconds; Second Parker (Cornell) 42 minutes 44 seconds; Third McDermott (Cornell) 43 minutes 4 3/5 seconds; fourth Montague (Oxford) 45 minutes 14 seconds; Fifth. March (Cambridge) 43 minutes 15 seconds.

Each side ran seven men, but only five counted in the race.

The question of affording some immediate relief to the whole Indian establishment of the Supply and Transport Corps is under consideration by the Government of India and early orders are expected.

CALCUTTA RACES.

FIRST MEETING—FIFTH DAY.

(By our Racing Correspondent.)

THE AVENUE PLATE (DIVISION III.)—Distance 7 furlongs.

Winner Rs. 3,000; second Rs. 1,000; and third Rs. 500 Handicap for Horses.

Mr. Thaddeu's TOURNEY 8-9, Ruiz 1
Mr. Thomas TOO TIRED 9-0, Pullin 2
Mr. Salt's ABAJALA 8-9, Stokes 3
H. H. Maharani Cooch Behar's PRINCESS ILA 8-2, Orchard 4

Also ran:—Warrior Queen 8-11, One Too Many 8-9, Rags 8-7, Chert 8-7, Fine Times 8-2, Goldmine 8-1, Adorable 8-0, May lass 7-13.

Won by half length 1½th lengths between 2nd and 3rd and 2 lengths between 3rd and 4th.

Time:—1 minute 28 1/5th seconds.

Totalisators paid Rs. 80 for a win Rs. 21, Rs. 16 and Rs. 21 for places.

Betting:—5 to 2 Too Tired, sixes Abajala, Chert and May Lass sevens One Too Many and Princess Ila and longer odds the others.

The race:—Chert was hopelessly left. Tourney shot forward with May Lass and Abajala her heels, then came Fine Times and Princess Ila and then came the favourite. After going four furlongs Too Tired closed with the leaders. Ding dong race ensued. In the straight Tourney just lasting out to win by half a length.

THE AVENUE PLATE DIVISION II—Distance 7 furlongs.

Winner Rs. 3,000; second Rs. 1,000; third Rs. 500. Handicap for horses in the third division.

Mr. Swan's PICKET 9.0, Northmore 1
Mr. Raikut's BARSEN 8.8, Flynn 2
Mr. Fawcett's TRACEABLE 8-10. Mason ... 3
Mr. Wilson's STILL BETTER 9 0 Orrell ... 4

Also ran:—Royal Sign 8-12, Ballincurra 8-10 Ortogo 8-6, Idyo 8 5, Roidock 8.4, Gold Quartz 8.3, Lillie Bridge 8-3, Ashebede 8-0, Little Life 8-0, Carpe Diem 7-12, White Poppy 7.10, car. 7-12)

Won by ½ lengths, ½ length between 2nd and 3rd 2 1/2 lengths between third and fourth.

Time:—1 minute 28 3/5 seconds.

Totalizators paid for a win Rs. 48; and Rs. 19, Rs. 27 and Rs. 18 for places.

Betting:—Fours Picket, 9 to 2 Still Better, fives Traceable, eights Ballinacura and longer prices others.

The race:—Ashbede was smartest away with Traceable and Still Better close behind. Royal Sign who was badly off soon parted with her rider. As the field were about swinging in into the straight Barsen shot forward with Picket coming strong on the outside and Trace able third. Picket soon wrested the lead from Barsen and won easily.

THE NEW YEAR PLATE.—Distance one mile 3 furlongs.

Winner Rs. 5,000, second Rs. 2,000; third Rs. 1,000. Handicap for horses in second division.

Mr. Thaddeus' RED QUILL, 9-3, Ruis ...
Mr. Thaddeus' MAMETZ, 7-2, Meekings ...
Mr. Conningham's PASSING, 8-3, Walker
Mr. Desoysa's MUSCOVITE, 8-3, Wood ...

Also Ran:—St. Nathey 8-12, Goldensquar 8-9, Violinist 8-6, Coryphee 8-4, Gunning 8-1, Eagles Nest 7-12, Linton 7-11, Wolfram 7-4.

Won by short head, 1 1/4 lengths between 2nd and 3rd. 1/2 length between 3rd and 4th.

Time—2mins. 20 2/5secs.

Tote. Paid: Rs. 57 win Rs. 20, 27 and 50 places.

Betting:—Twos Red Quill and Muscovite, fives Linton, eights Passing, Mametz and Wolfram. Longer prices others.

The Race.—Violinist showed out prominently with Passing second. Then came Golden Square and Linton with rest of the field behind. They came in a solid body to the straight where Passing took it up, Red Quill was the first to challenge him. Passing was soon in difficulty and Red Quill assumed the command, when Mametz joined issue. After a good race Red Quill just won.

THE MARATHON PLATE—Distance mile 6 furlong 132 yards. (St. Leger course).

Winner Rs. 2,000, second Rs. 700, third Rs. 300. Handicap for horses in fourth division.

Col. Smith and Mr. Lauder's De HAVILAND, 7-12, Stokes .....
Mr. Pugh's RHEIDOL, 8-2, Ward .....
Messrs. Donetil and Page's DURBAN, 8-10, Harrison .....
Mr. Roychandhuri's LLOYDS 7-10 Orrell 4

Also Ran:—Miss Glasher, 8-2, Lough Corrib 9-2, Fairy Dream 9-1, Zelia 8-6, Legend's Double 8-9, Aquae Solis 8-0, Bell Chance 7-10, Vulcanella 7-0, Niggs 7-0.

Won by 1 1/2 length, 3/4 length between 2nd and 3rd, 1 length between 3rd and 4th.

Time—3mins. 15 3/5secs.

Tote. Paid: Rs. 94 win, Rs. 40, 24 and 44 places.

Betting:—Fives Lloyds and Rheidol, sevens Lough Corris and Bell Chance, eights Dehaviland. Longer prices others.

The Race.—Niggs, Miss Slasher and Bells Chance was the order at the start. After going a mile the leaders retired and Dehaviland went up. Vulcanella also closed in but she soon fell back again and De Haviland just lasted out sufficiently long to win.

THE TOLLYNULLAH PLATE.—Distance 7 furlongs.

Winner Rs. 2,000, second Rs. 700, third Rs. 300. High Weight Handicap for Countrybred horses, three years old and upwards.

Mr. Essajee's STEEL BLUE 9-3 Flynn ...
Raja S. Sing and Kour Sing's SARFARAZ 9-13, Pullin 2
Mr. Pine's SUGAR CANE, 9-12, Ruiz ... 3
Mr. Ali's BLACK FRIAR, 7-11, Stokes ...

Also Ran: Bask (Top 7-5.

Won by 3/4 length, 1 length between 2nd and 3rd, 2 lengths between third and 4th.

Time—1min. 31secs.

Tote. Paid: Rs. 37 win and Rs. 19 and 29 places.

Betting:—5 to 4 Sugar Cane, twos Steel Blue, fours Safaraz. Longer prices others.

The Race.—Steel Blue Led from word go—towards the end Sarfaraz made hp lot of ground, but the leader had two much advantage to be troubled in any way.

THE INDIAN GRAND NATIONAL:—Distance 3 miles.

A Cup value £50 presented by R. C. T. C. Cup and Rs. 7,500 to winner, second Rs. 3,000 third Rs. 2,000; Handicap steeple chase for horses.

Mr. Ivan Jones' CHINA EGG, 11-7, Stuart .....
Messrs. Byass and Sheppard's REIGNING STAR, 10-12, Mr. Sheppard .....
Messrs. Pugh and Heather's READY CASH 9-2, Thompson .....
Major Robertson's ISLE O SKY. 9-9, Scott...

Also Ran:—Pomade 11-7. Long Sight 10-5, Henriette 9-0.

Won by 4 lengths, 20 lengths between 2 and 3rd.

Time 5 mts. 57-3/5 seconds.

Totalizators paid Rs. 28 win and Rs. 18 and 23 places.

Betting 9 to 4 China Egg, 7 to 2 Reigning Star, fives Long Sight, sevens Pomade, eights Isle O Sky, tens Henriette, twenties Ready Cash.

The Race.—Pomade, Long Sight and Reigning Star was the order at the first jump. At the third jump Henriette refused. Long Sight went in first and led from Pomade and Reigning Star, China Egg being near the tail. After about 1 1/2 miles. Long Sight tired and retired. Shortly after China Egg took up the lead and won easily from Reigning Star.

THE AVENUE PLATE. Div. I.—Distance seven furlongs.

Winner Rs. 3,000, second Rs. 1,000, third Rs. 500. Handicap for horses in the third division.

Mr. Thomas' JACK 9-5 Pullin 1
Mrs. Conningham's TIEPIN 8-5, Mason ...
H. H. Maharaja Cooch Behar's FLYING DART, 7-11, Orchard 4

Also Ran: Lover True 9-10, Millmount 9-3, Lady Victorine 8-11, Tete Monte 8-7, Girton Miss 8-8, Polly Hopkins 8-3, Gentle Saxon 8-5, Pont Neuf 8-5, Dialect 8-4, Black Jess 8-3, Gibberish 8-2 Quartzite 8-2

Won by ¾ length 1 length between second and third. Short head between 3rd and 4th.

Time:—1 minute 28 2/5 seconds.

Totalizators paid for a win Rs. 168; and Rs. 28, Rs. 67 and Rs. 23 for places.

Betting:—5 to 4 Quite Dark, 5 to 2 Lady Victorine, sevens Millmount, Gentle Saxon and Pont Neuf. Longer prices others.

The races:—Flying Dart was quickest away. Immediately behind him came Polly Hopkins, Pont Neuf and Girton Miss. They raced in that order till the straight was reached, where Jack, Tiepin and Quite Dark all closed on the leader and after a good race home, Jack won.

THE HILLARD PLATE.—Distance 7 furlongs.

Winner Rs. 7,000; second Rs. 2,500; third Rs. 1,500, Handicap for horses.

Mr. Jesiram's NOT MUCH 8-5, Flynn 1
Mr. Gokuldas VERGE 9-6, Huxley 2
Mr. Thaddeus' BUCKO 7.3, Meekings 3
Messrs. Douetil and Page's KING'S FARE 8-13 Harrison 4

Alo ran:—Mordennis 9-1, Star of Indi a 8-11, Noutbutwell 8-10, Crenides 8.10, Simon's Choice 8-9, Charlies Smile 8-7.

Won by 1¼ lengths. Neck between 2nd and 3rd 2 lengths between 3rd and 4th.

Time:—1 minute 27 seconds.

Totaliazator paid for a win Rs. 28; and Rs. 14 Rs. 14, and Rs. 27 for places.

Betting:—7 to 4 Not Much, Simon's Choice and Verge, sixes Charlie's Smile and Bucko. Longer prices others.

The race:—King's Fare took up the lead and brought them along at a smart pace Bucko was his nearest attendant and then came Not Much, Verge being fourth in the straight Not Much and Verge improved their position the former going well within himself and won easily.

DAVIS CUP CONTEST.

VICTORY OF TILDEN AND JOHNSTON

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Dec. 31.
Recd. 11-15 a.m. Jan. 2.

Auckland.—In the doubles match in the Davis Cup contest to-day Tilden and Johnston beat Brookes and Patterson 4—6, 7—4, 6—0, and 6—4.

MASTERLY DISPLAY BY AMERICANS.

TILDEN'S CANNON-BALL SERVICES.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

Subsequently, Johnston overwhelmed Patterson in a fashion that the Davis Cup player has never before experienced. Johnston's hurricane forehand drive was unplayable. It persistently punished Patterson's backhand again demonstrating the futility of the Australian's unorthodox backhand stroke, which must be greatly altered if Patterson hopes to retain his place in Davis Cup tennis. At one stage Johnston scored eleven successive aces. He showed throughout complete mastery of his opponent's game. There were very few rallies. Probably the most remarkable feature of the game was the way in which Johnston killed Patterson's usually terrifying services.

DAVIS CUP CARRIED OFF BY AMERICANS.

DETAILS OF THE GAME.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, Dec. 30.
Recd. 1-45 p.m. Jan. 2.

The Third Match of the Challenge Round by which the Americans carried off the Davis Cup was played in perfect weather. In the first set Patterson played in perfect style. The Americans were below par, but they improved in the second set. Johnston's volleying was superb. Brookes was erratic. The Americans dominated the third set, Johnston missing nothing and attacking all the time. Brookes, mulled easy volleys and Patterson lapsed into his previous day' errors and seemed to have lost all his confidence even in oberhead shots. He failed to smash even easy short tosses. In the course of the fourth and last set the Americans gained an early lead which they always maintained. They won the first game on Patterson's service. In the final game Johnston ran to 40/15, then Brookes made it 40/30. Johnston ran out on the next service. The Americans were unquestionably superior. Johnston is entitled to most of the credit for the American victory. He excelled in his services and drives and beat Brookes in many volleying rallies by sheer merit. The remaining singles do not affect the fate of the Cup.

Auckland.—Tilden's victory against Brookes demonstrated the overpowering nature of the American's cannon ball services. After annexing two sets Tilden slackened up and Brookes scored nine successive games, thus leading 3 love in the fourth set. After that Tilden scored at least twenty service aces.

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cautiously was stylish and Hendren was slow and unaggressive.

Scores:—

AUSTRALIANS (CONCLUDED).

Collins, c Hearne, b Howell	51
Bardsley, c Strudwick, b Woolley	51
Park, b Howell	0
Taylor, c Woolley, b Parkin	68
Armstrong, l.b.w. b Douglas	39
Kelleway, c Strudwick, b Howell	9
Pellew b Parkin	116
Ryder c Woolley b Douglas	13
Gregory c Russell b Woolley	100
Oldfield c and b Rhodes	24
Mailey not out	8
Extras	20
Total	499

M. C. C.

Rhodes b Gregory	7
Hobbs not out	53
Makepeace lbw b Armstrong	4
Hendren not out	0
Extras	0
Total for two wickets	93

M. C. C. V. AUSTRALIA

AN EXCITING MATCH.

PELLEW SCORES 181 FOR AUSTRAALI.

(REUTER'S CRICKET SPECIAL.)

MELBOURNE, Dec. 31.
Recd. 1 p.m., Jan. 1.

The weather was not what the second test Match opened here today before 30,000 spectators. Armstrong being disappointed his place was taken by Bardsley in the Victoria). Armstrong won the toss and elected to bat on a perfect wicket sending in Collins and Barsley to face the bowling of Howell and Douglas. Collins was missed in the slips by Rhodes off Howell's first ball before he had scored and when seven he gave a difficult high chance to Douglas off Howell. When the lunch interval came the batsmen remained unseparated with fifty and thirtythree to their credit respectively.

After the resumption Bardsley scored well until Collins was caught at mid-on on Howell having added only a single to his pre-lunch score. (116 1—51). The returning batsman had batted brightly for hundred minutes and his innings included six fours. Park succumbed to his first ball from Howell. (116—2—0). Taylor opened cautiously being at the wicket quarter of an hour before opening his account. Then Bardsley was caught at the wicket off Woolley. (118—3—51). He had played sound cricket for his 51 which included five boundary hits. Armstrong and Taylor gave a bright display of sound crisp batting until Armstrong was out leg before 194—4—39) having batted an hour for his 9. Immediately, after the tea interval alleway was caught at the wicket. 20—5—9). After being at the wicket 91 inutes Taylor reached his fifty and after adding eighteen runs to his score he was caught in the slips by Woolley off Parkin. (251—6—68). When at 59 he was badly missed in the slips, but otherwise his display was faultless. He played crisp charming cricket for 130 minutes and hit five fours. Pellew when three was missed at point off Douglas but he then settled down to sound watchful cricket in association with Ryder. When stumps were drawn the score had reached 282 for 6 wickets.

Howell had taken three wickets for 79 Douglas one for five Parkin one for 68 Hearne nought for 38, Woolley one for 46 and Rhodes nought for ten. The bowling was admirable throughout, Douglas varying the attack with great skill making altogether sixteen changes. The fielding was superb, Hendren especially excelling in the outfield.

MELBOURNE, Jan. 1.
Recd. 2-10 p.m., Jan. 2.

There were 36,000 spectators present when the overnight not-outs Pellew 33 and Ryder 13 resumed batting for the Australians. The wicket was in perfect condition, a few light showers during the night having rather improved it than otherwise. The heat however was sweltering, thousands of spectators discarding coats and hats. During the day Parkin, Hendren and Howell were all slightly affected by the heat. Hitch fielded in place of Hearne who was confined to bed with lumbago.

A LONG PARTNERSHIP.

The Australians made a bad recommencement losing Ryder with the second ball sent down. (252-7-13). When Gregory Joined Pellew, however, a great partnership ensued. Repeated changes in the attack were of no avail, the batsmen playing every ball confidently. Pellew reached his 50 in 92 minutes and Gregory his in 50 minutes. A special feature was the excellent running between the wickets. Lunch was taken with the score 404 for seven wickets, Pellew being 95 and Gregory 59.

On resuming the batsmen continued to play confident cricket. Pellew was indulging in delightfully crisp cutting and hard driving, while Gregory was turning the balls beautifully to leg. At length at 456 Pellew was bowled off his pad and a great ovation was accorded him as he walked to the pavilion. He had been at the wicket 181 minutes and hit six fours and one five. Gregory was the next to leave just on completing his century. He had played a magnificent dashing innings which included twelve boundary hits. After some enterprising batting by Oldfield the innings closed for 499, having lasted in all 448 minutes.

The English fielding was splendid, Hendren and Hitch being repeatedly cheered. Douglas says that Hearne will probably be fit to play on Monday.

Bowling for M. C. C. Howell had three wickets for 142, Douglas two for 93, Parkin two for 116, Hearne nought for 38, Woolley two for 87 and Rhodes one for 36.

M. C. C. INNINGS.

Rhodes and Hobbs opened the M. C. C. innings to the bowling of Gregory and Kelleway. With twenty runs on the board Rhodes was bowled off his pad in Gregory's third over. Makepeace gave little trouble being dismissed at 32, but when Hendren Joined Hobbs a partnership ensued which remained unbroken when stumps were drawn for the day. Hobbs though playing

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CHANGED CREED OF MUSLIM LEAGUE.

ADOPTION OF NON-COOPERATION.

NATIONAL MUSLIM UNIVERSITY WELCOMED.

ALL-INDIA MUSLIM LEAGUE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

[illegible] Dec. 31.

The Moslem League passed the following resolution:—The All-India Muslim League deeply deplores the sad demise of the late Shaikhul-Hind Mahmud-Ul-Hasan Sahib of Deoband, whose sacrifices and selfless devotion in the cause of Islam and the country had endeared him to the community. His fearless and unequivocal exposition of Shariat at the most critical period of the Muslim history, his patient sufferings in the far-off prison of Malta in the cause of religion and the simplicity and purity of his life have left a great legacy to Muslim India. The League offers its heartfelt condolence to the bereaved family of the Maulana and prays that God will give him rest in heaven.

The All-India Muslim League heartily welcomes the establishment of the National Muslim University at Aligarh and congratulates Principal Mohamed Ali upon his intrepid leadership and his students upon their invincible courage displayed in the performance of their duty in the face of great provocations and hardships

The League calls upon the public to give the University their best moral and material support.

The meeting of the All-India Muslim League expresses its deep sorrow on the sudden demise of Mr. Mumtaz Husain Bar-at-Law of Lucknow who had endeared himself to the Muslim community by his untiring zeal for the cause of the Khilafat, and in whom the country has lost an able advocate, an honest patriot and a devoted worker.

The League expresses its sympathy with the bereaved family.

OBJECTS OF LEAGUE.

The objects of the All-India Muslim League shall be the following:—(a) the attainment of Swarajya by the people of India by all peaceful and legitimate means, (b) to protect and advance the political religious and other rights and interests of the Indian Musalmans, (c) to promote friendship and union between the Mussalmans and other communities of India, (d) to maintain and strengthen the brotherly relations between the Mahomedans of India and those of other countries.

While re-affirming the resolution passed by the League at the Amritsar session regarding the cow sacrifice, the League exhorts the Musalmans of India to continue unabated their earnest efforts in that direction. The League at the same time appeals to its Hindu brethren to refrain from securing legislative measures which it fears, would only add to the difficulties of the situation.

(A) The All-India Muslim League reaffirms the resolutions passed at its special session in Calcutta regarding Non-Violent Non-Co-operation,

(B) The League places on record its satisfaction at the progress the Non-Co-operation movement has made generally, and, in particular, at the boycott of the councils by the Nationalists and at the refusal to exercise their right of voting by the vast majority of the electors of the various constituencies established under the reform scheme.

In view of the unmistakable attitude of the electors, the League calls upon those who have secured seats on the various Councils in direct opposition to the will of the electors to resign their seats; and in the case of those who fail to do to the League advises the electors to have no political connection whatsoever with the so-called representatives.

(C) The League also expresses its sense of appreciation of the response made to the call of duty by the youths of India, and while emphasising the absolute necessity of the immediate severence of all connections with Government or Government-aided colleges and schools, calls upon the owners and trustees of all the educational institutions to forthwith give up Government aid and disaffiliate themselves from Government recognised Universities.

WITHDRAW FROM GOVERNMENT UNIVERSITIES.

The League at the same time requests the parents and guardians to withdraw their sons and wards from Government-aided or controlled institutions without any further delay and it also calls upon adult students to withdraw from such institutions.

(D) The League further urges upon the lawyers and the litigants to immediately boycott Government Courts and to establish encourage and popularise the arbitration courts.

USE SWADESHI GOODS.

(E) Lastly the League exhorts the people of India to encourage the Indian industries by the exclusive use of "Swadeshi" goods and by establishing home industries.

The All-India Muslim League express its deep sense of appreciation at the work done by the Khilafat delegation, under the intrepid and able leadership of Maulana Mahomed Ali, a more courageous, outspoken and, withal, the most moderate and correct interpreter of the Muslim obligations and Indian sentiments could not be found.

Having regard to the fact that the Esher Committee report has unmistakably expressed the capitalistic and imperialistic designs of the British statesmen by suggesting the utilisation of Indian manhood for the aggressive policy of British conquests, the All-India Muslim League exhorts the people to have their soldiery from moral degradation by increasing their effort for the attainment of "Swaraj" at the earliest possible date.

PURSUE THE PATH UNDAUNTED.

In view of the numerous prosecutions of the national workers by the Government, the application of the Seditious Meetings Act to various places in the Punjab and Delhi and the suppression of Volunteer organisations, the All-India Muslim League feels confident that the determination of the people of India would continue undaunted to pursue the path which they have marked out for the emancipation of their country.

The All-India Muslim League while disapproving the action of the trustees of those educational institutions which have not given up Government-aid and have not disaffiliated themselves from the Government Universities, places on record its appreciation of the whole-hearted response to the call of duty made by the Nadvat-ul-Ulama College at considerable financial sacrifice, and has set a noble example for other institutions to follow.

The All-India Muslim League advises the owners, trustees and managing boards of all Muslim educational institutions, religious or otherwise, to immediately start technical classes with a view to encourage home industries, particularly, weaving and spinning.

ADVICE TO AMIR OF AFGHANISTAN.

In view of the fact that the Indian National Congress, All-India Muslim League, the Sikh League, the Khilafat Conference and other public bodies have declared their resolution of attaining "Swaraj," and in view of the fact that the Alliance of Neighbouring States with Great Britain conceived not as a plan for the protection of India but for strengthening the [illegible] on India, and in view of the fact that India has no quarrel with Afghanistan and in asmuch as Great Britain has been able, mainly through her Empire in India, to disrupt the Dominions of the Khilafat, this All-India Muslim League begs respectively to advise His Majesty Ghazi Amir Amanullah Khan, the independent ruler of Afghanistan, to reject any advance on the part of the Government of India for a treaty or alliance with Great Britain.

In view of the further fact this League is confident that neither the Afghan nation nor their Government has any designs on the independent existence of the people of India, this League hopes that both the nations will cultivate friendly relation between themselves and learn to rely upon each other's good will.

CHANGE OF CREED.

Mr. Mahomed Ali, while moving the resolution changing the creed of the Moslem League by substituting "attainment of Swarajya by all legitimate and peaceful means" said that the existing creed was not upto date in view of the existing circumstances, when loyalty to the British Government and self-Government within the British Empire were out of question as long as the British Government persisted in their anti-Islam and anti-Indian policy. The same view was held by the Congress and the Sikh League and other public bodies. Mahatma Gandhi and those who shared his religious beliefs maintaining that peaceful means were the only legitimate means to fight a Government, now and for ever, but Moslem faith went a step further and said that if the existence of evil could not be removed without violence it must be removed with violence force could be used to defeat force. To-day, however, the Indian Moslems recognised that they were not in a position to use force against the force of Government, but if Government's anti-Islam policy still continued and peaceful means were useless then this resolution could not interfere with the use of force, if required. Rules and regulations of a public body like the Moslem League must be interim resolutions to meet the existing state of affairs. This resolution would assure Government that Moslems would not resort to violence, but if, even in face of this resolution, Government would use force against them then they the (people) would stand by their creed and observe Non Violence.

APPEAL FOR CONSOLIDATING HINDU-MOSLEM UNITY.

Dr. Ansari, in closing the session, delivered an effective speech in which he appealed for strengthening Hindu-Moslem Unity which point he had purposely refrained from mentioning in his opening address because he wanted to lay particular stress on it now. The term Hindu-Moslem Unity expressed not only unity between Hindus and Musalmans but also among various peoples inhabiting this Indian continent such as Sikhs, Indian Christians, Parsees. The union of all races of India was essential as the basis for a truly national edifice. The way in which Hindus had come forward to help Musalmans in their struggle for Khilafat could not be sufficiently expressed and it was the duty of Musalmans to always remember this help. On the other hand the way in which the religious question of their Hindu brethren namely the protection of cows was being helped and solved by voluntary assistance of Musalmans deserved the consideration of Hindus. Looked at from every point of view religious political, economic and national, it is necessary they must consolidate the Hindu Moslem unity.

GOVT'S FISCAL POLICY CONDEMNED.

DEMAND FOR REVISION OF TURKISH TREATY.

NATIONAL LIBERAL FEDERATION.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Dec. 31.

The National Liberal Federation reassembled this noon, under the presidency of the Hon. Mr. C. Y. Chintamani.

Further messages of sympathy with the conference were received from the supporters of the Moderate party.

The President then moved the resolution recording the sense of loss to the country in the death of Mr. Tilak and Rai Bahadur Devendra Chandra Ghose.

The President said he moved the resolution under instructions from the subjects committee.

The resolution was passed, all standing.

FISCAL POLICY.

Mr. C. P. Ramaswamy Iyer (Advocate General) moved that, "in pursuance of the recommendations of the committee appointed by the Governer-General in Council, in February last to consider the future fiscal policy of India, the Federation urges the appointment of a strong and representative commission, with power to take evidence from the representatives of all interests concerned, to examine the whole question and further urges that the country should not be committed in the meanwhile to any policy of Imperial preference, until such a commission had collected evidence and made a report."

Mr. Ramaswamy Iyer spoke of the divers opinions that existed regarding Free Trade vs. Protection. He alluded to the protection of industries in England in the early stages of her industrial development in that country. He said if preference was necessary, then preference must be against the rest of the world.

ECONOMIC EXPLOITATION.

Mr. Jamnadas Dwarkadas, in seconding, said that the present unsatisfactory economic condition of the country was due to Great Britain foisting free trade on this country to suit her selfish interests. As an example, he pointed out the Dye-Stuff Bill recently passed by Parliament and said England went in for Free Trade, only after she knew her position was safe. England had learnt the lesson at least during the war that its Free Trade policy towards India had affected the resources of the Empire and should allow India to have protection for her industries in their nascent stage. He condemned the export of cattle for military purposes as, apart from religious and sentimental points, it was detrimental to the economic interests of the country.

The resolution was passed.

A resolution was passed on the motion of Dr. C. B. Rama Rao (Madras), calling on the Government of India to set aside the recommendations of the Lovett and Esher Committees regarding medical services in India as they were retragade and suggesting the separation of services into military and civil.

Recruitment to the former to be made in England and latter mainly in India.

Four resolutions were put from the chair one regretted that the Prime Minister's pledges to the Mussalmans in India January 1919 had not been redeemed an strongly urged His Majesty's Government to avail themselves of the developments in Greece and suitably revise the treaty with Turkey. Another resolution urged on the Government of India to take immediate steps to repeal the Rowlatt Act, the Press Act and the Deportation Regulations. The third resolution requested the Council of State, Legislative Assembly, and Provincial Councils respectively, to remove sex disqualification in their respective franchise from women otherwise duly qualified. This resolution was received with applause. The last of this series of resolution urged the Government of India to take steps to legalise trade unions on the lines of the English legislation on the matter.

At this stage the Conference adjourned for lunch.

INDIANS ABROAD.

Pandit Hirdayanath Kunzru (United Provinces) moved a resolution regarding the position of Indians abroad. The Federation protested against anti-Indian agitation of European residents of East Africa Protectorate and against political, economic, disabilities imposed upon Indians by the Government of the Protectorate and urged for absolute equality for Indians with Europeans in the Kenya Colony. The Federation urged in particular, for abolition of restrictions on the allotment of lands to indians for commercial and other purposes and asked for liberal, political, and municipal franchise and adequate representation on legislative Government of India and to the news received from Fiji that 20,000 emigrants despairing of obtaining justice had been driven by gross oppression to decide to sell all their property and leave the colony in which they had settled and which owed its prosperity mainly to them and strongly urged that the Government of India should press for an independent inquiry into the causes of recent riots in Fiji.

Mr. Kunzru in his speech referred to the Government of India's despatch on Lord Millner's report and said unless the Government of India interfered the tragic history of South Africa might be repeated in the Kenya Colony. The Prime Minister and the Chief Judge of Uganda had written to Mr. Andrews that they wanted Indians there and that the Development Commission in Uganda had spoken against the segregation, but in the neighbouring colony they were told that Indians were not wanted. It was incumbent on them to give all support to the Government of India to secure their rights as regards Fiji. Independent information showed that the riots were due to economic causes and he suggested enquiry into the cause of riots.

Mr. G. A. Natesan seconded the resolution and said that the condition in East Africa recalled to minds the horrors and indignities accorded to the Indians in South Africa. He thought it useless on the part of Government that Moderates should co-operate when everything went out of their hands. He asked Government to take steps in obtaining equality for their countrymen abroad.

The resolution was passed unanimously.

ABOLISHING ALL DISTINCTIVE LAWS.

The Hon. Mr. V. S. Srinivasa Sastri then moved the following resolution:—That in the opinion of the Federation inauguration of the new regime conferring a measu of Self-Government to the people of India must be signalised by a comprehensive measure abolishing all distinction in law based merely on the race of the individual and urges in particular that the provisions in the criminal law of India conferring upon Europeans and Americans certain special privileges and rights must be repealed at an early date.

Mr. Sastri, in moving the resolution, alluded to the resolution on the subject they moved at the last session of the Imperial Legislative Council. He spoke of the various humiliating distinctions adopted in trials between Europeans and Indians and said hardly a month passed without a judicial scandal of some sort or other regarding European British Subjects, reminding them of their position in their own country. He said that not only in India did they claim special privileges, but also in other countries as was in the case of consular jurisdiction.

THE PUNJAB TRAGEDY.

When the federation reassembled after lunch the Hon. Mr. V. Srinivas Shastri moved a resolution on the Punjab tragedy. The resolution runs as follows:—The Federation records its conviction that the failure of British statesmanship to rise to the demands of the situation in regard to the Punjab affair has largely prevented people from realising the value of constitutional reforms. The Federation protests against the failure of Government to render justice by imposing adequate punishment upon officers who were guilty of acts of cruelty, oppression and [illegible] during the period of acts of Martial Law administration in the Punjab. The Federation has noticed with regret and surprise that compensation awarded to the victims of Martial Law excesses were extremely inadequate and disproportionately small as compared with the compensation awarded to the victims of Non-Violence, as well as with losses sustained by those. This federation further regrets that heavy fines levied upon certain cities have not been revised and reduced. The Federation again strongly urges that effective safe-guards should be provided against recurrence of such things as happened in 1919 in the Punjab on the lines recommended at the Calcutta session of the Federation."

MR. SASTRI'S SPEECH.

In moving the resolution Mr. V. S. Srinivasa Sastri said that they had no regret to expect any regret for the Punjab tragedy from Government as they had shown them last few years. They had to force regret from them. He had propounded one time ago that the matter about the Punjab would not be laid aside by representatives of the people. He was one of those who thought that the new Legislative Assembly had no better task than that of making Government admit the error and make adequate reparation. He said the enthusiasm on the question was by no means excessive and they would not be guilty to the Moderate party on that one matter, which was really at the bottom of all trouble, if they declined to be altogether moderate. They asked for nothing that was impossible for Government to give, they asked for nothing unreasonable to expect of ordinary human beings, nothing that was impossible for proud power-intoxicated bureaucracy to give. He asked them whether it was not right to think that the gentlemen, courteous and affectionate, forgot themselves when they put on their official robes.

After narrating some of the wrongs, Mr Sastri said that members of Government with some of whom he had talk on the matter refused to budge an inch from their position. They dared not say "no" when put the question whether a public apology would be offered and some reparation made to those whose cases were brought to notice as having been wronged, but said they were considering the matter. They stated the same also in public, but nothing had been done since September, when that reply was given. They were still considering. The Government of India received orders of the Secretary of State and the questions on subject were asked in September. Mr. Shastri asked the audience to concieve whether any civilized Government could say after six months that they had no statistics available and had not made full enquiries on the matter like that. He condemned the invidious distinctions shown to the injured Europeans in the Punjab and to Indians killed in Jallianwallah Baugh and said that the Viceroy did say in his concluding speech the Indian Legislative Council, that India lives were as sacred and valuable as those of Europeans. Possibly, the Viceroy believed what he said. But he asked if the Viceroy expected Indians to believe that would be grievously disappointed. The speaker did not believe that law provided effective remedy against such things. Nothing would happen so long as they had power and knew when and how to use that power. Mr. Sastri vigorously criticised Government and said they were cause of troubles and deplored that even when the peace was restored the hearts of members of Government would not relent. That filled them (Indians) with grief and despair that the bureaucracy could at any time take leave of all responsibility and resort to immoderation.

Proceeding, Mr. Sastri spoke of the set of people in the country who thought that those who felt for the Punjab should take extraordinary steps to bring home to Government the wrongs done to the people, but if there was no remedy in the near future, and if they were going to be as helpless as in 1921 and 1922, then indeed they must try some desperate remedy by learning to exercise their new powers in the councils for bringing the bureaucracy to its senses. Strong resolutions should be passed in the Legislative Assembly and Council of State that certain things should be done. He could not concieve that the Government of India could refuse to do them. Once or twice they might, but he thought they could not refuse for the third time and Non-Co-operation was not necessary for that purpose tion was not necessary for that purpose.

Further continuing, Mr. Sastri said they wanted only one word of regret. In private some members of Government confessed the errors perpetrated in the Punjab, but when asked to state in public they would not.

Mr. D. G. Dalvi, in seconding the resolution, said the Government of India desired that the Punjab affair should be dead as Queen Anne. Curiously enough the President of the National Congress also advocated forgiveness, but there can be no forgetting or forgiveness until adequate reparation is granted to the sufferers. He believed that only constitutional agitation would bring them relief. In concludinv, he said there could be no peace in the country till that was settled till relief was not granted.

The resolution was passed.

FACTORY ACT AMENDMENT.

Mr. N. M. Joshi (Bombay) moved a resolution expressing the opinion of the Federation that to improve the conditions of labour the Factory Act should be amended and suggested the lines of amendment based on recommendations of the International Labour Conference regarding the hours, of prevision for supervision of health, and employment of women and children. In the course of an earnest speech, Mr. Joshi complained of the general indifference of the educated classes towards welfare of labourers and said Madras had one man, the much maligned and much abused of late, Mr. Joshi asked whatever Swaraj they might have let it be a Swaraj that made workingmen happy.

Mr. Mavji Govindji seconded the resolution, which was passed unanimously.

OTHER RESOLUTIONS.

The resolution regretting increase in the Executive Council of the Viceroy, even after devolution of powers to the ministers in Provinces, and, protesting against recommendations of the Indian Secretariat Procedure committee, in so far as they related to creation of new offices, and consequent increase in the staff and to the creation of the posts, of private secretaries to the members of the Executive Councils, was passed on the motion of Mr. E. Rangaswami Iyer (Madura) seconded by Mr. K. B. Kanitkar (Poona).

A resolution urging provisional legislatures to lose no time in framing measures for social uplift and educational progress of the depressed and backward classes, proposed by Mr. V. R. Kothari (Poona) and seconded by Mr. M. D. Altekar (Bombay) was passed.

A series of resolutions were then put from the chair including a strong protest against the fixing of the strength of the Executive Councils in Madras, Bombay and Bengal at four instead of two, as involving waste of money and noting with regret that the strength of the Executive Council in Bihar and Orissa should have been fixed at three instead of two, and that with the strength at three only one Indian should be appointed, against express recommendation of the Joint Select Committee.

Another resolution recognised Indian Reform Committee in England and decided to contribute £6,000 annually towards its activities in England, each province to contribute a specific sum towards that amount.

In putting the above resolution, Mr. Chintamani alluded to the decision of the National Congress to do away with the British Committee of the Congress and in expressing sense of deep regret at the action referred to and to the labours of the late Mr. Hume, Sir W. Wedderburn, Mr. Bannerji, and others to establish that Committee. In that matter also the mantle of the Congress they knew, had fallen on the Liberal Federation.

Announcements were then made regarding the office bearers and changes made in the constitution of the Council of the Federation. Names of well-known Congressmen, representative of the Committees, were mentioned among those who had accepted offices in the Liberal League and included, among others, Sir Dinshaw Watcha, Mr. Surrendranath Bannerjee, Mr. N. Subba Rao, Sir Narayan Chandravarkar and others. Sir P. S. Sivaswamy Iyer and Mr. G. A. Natesan were elected General Secretaries.

On the motion of Mr. Asthana (U.P.) the Moderate Conference was invited to meet at Allahabad, next year.

THANKS TO THE PRESIDENT.

The Hon. Mr. Srinivasa Sastry, in proposing thanks to Mr. Chintamani for the successful manner in which he had conducted the proceedings of the Conference, alluded to the fact that Mr. Chintamani had accepted the Ministerial office when he delivered his presidential address and it was a signal example of courage, as he did not accept the office bottling up his conviction. Alluding to the smallness of the Moderate party, he said that there were to many genuine Liberals who kept aloof without knowing their own minds. They would very much like to be in the majority, but if they could only be there by accepting the doctrines which were disastrous to the interests of the country then it was better to continue in minority.

Mr. Joshi, humourly remarking that the delegates also contributed to the success of the Conference, said they conducted themselves properly, they had heard one another patiently and did not try to thrust their convictions by blows.

Mrs. Beasant seconded the vote of thanks to the President.

MR. CHINTAMANI'S WINDING-UP.

Mr. Chintamani in bringing the session to close paid a tribute to the activities of Sir Sivaswamy Iyer, Messrs. G. A Natesan, Govindraraghava Iyer, the volunteers and members of the Reception Committee for making the session a success. He spoke of the success of the Liberal Party since its establishments three years ago In thanking them for their generous allusions to him, he begged them to accept his assurance that his devotion to the Liberal party and its ideal would remain completely unabated. His faith in the principles of Federation was complete, for his faith in the Old Congress was complete. Many familiar faces which were not found in Bombay, three years ago, had had since come in. He paid a glowing tribute to Mrs. Beasant and her activities in the cause of India and paticularly rejoiced at her presence among them.

TRAMWAY TROUBLE AGAIN?

LOCK OUT AT KINGSWAY WORKSHOP

MEN DISCONTENTED.

The Tramay Company have closed their Kingsway Workshop owing to the trouble they had with the workmen. About 1,200 men are employed at these works, and it appears there has been some discontent among them, on account of the increase given to the men who had stuck to their work during the last strike. The "loyal" men were given a bonus which the strikers did not share. The men are also not satisfied at the increases recently given by the Tramway Company. The Company have issued a circular that owing to the uneasiness prevailing among the men for the last three or four days, they were not doing their work properly and were whiling away their time. Police were called in and they are now picketed near the shop.

THE LOCK-OUT NOTICE.

In the meanwhile the following notice of lock-out was given to the men:

The management have fulfilled the promise made on the 24th November that the Kingsway Workshop men would be paid equal rates, grade for grade, with the employees of the G. I. P. Railway Workshop; a notice announcing the increase required in certain grades in order to bring them up to the G. I. P. standard was posted on the 24th inst.

At a protracted interview held this morning with a deputation of the employees of the Kingsway Workshops, full explanation was given of the policy and action of the management.

Although the employees have attended the Workshops, practically no work has been done for the past five days.

I, therefore, give notice that the Kingsway Workshop will be closed at 5-30 to-day and will not open until further notice.

(Sd.) C. N. MOBERLEY,
Managing Engineer.

December 29, 1920.

OTHER STRIKES.

The other strikes in the city continue, and there is no change worth mentioning. The Postal deliveries continue to be as unsatisfactory as ever, particularly in the outlying portions of the city. Some improvements were promised, but they have not materialised yet. It is understood that most of the billets are still open for the postal men to take up, but they still stick to the terms; and so are the postal authorities. The inconvenience to the public, however, is no matter of importance to the officials.

NEW MARRIAGE "VOW"

SUBSTITUTE IN VIEW OF DIVORCE LAW REFORM.

Speeaking on Nov. 14 at the Church of St. James-the-Less, Bethnal Green, the Bishop of Chelmsford referred to the proposed divorce law reform, saying they would have to alter the marriage service to read something like the following:

I, John, take thee, Mary, to be my wedded wife until one of us gets drunk, or until one of us goes mad, or one of us gets locked up or goes to live somewhere else for three years. Until then I pledge thee my troth.

"We want," added the Bishop, "not a lessening of the marriage tie, but a gingering up of the love, devotion, and privilege of one with another until death parts us."—"The Westminster Gazette."

KHILAFAT CONFERENCE.

AMIR ADVISED TO REJECT TREATY.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

NAGPUR, Dec. 31.

The Khilafat Conference, at the third days' sitting, passed resolutions requesting Amir Amanulla to reject Peace Treaty with Great Britain as Indians had no quarrels with Afghan brotheren and as any such alliance was meant more to strenghen the hold on India than to plan to protect her, and secondly, reaffirming the Khilafat demands which could not be modified in view of any changed condition in the Middle East.

The Conference was then dissolved.

CRICKET IN MADRAS.

EUROPEANS v INDIANS.

INDIANS WIN BY INNINGS AND 14 RUNS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Decc 31.

After lunch Krishna Swamy showed his best form and assisted the score to 411, surviving three partnerships before he was the last to be dismissed. The score of 411 runs in an innings is a record that had not been reached in Madras cricket in recent years.

For the Europeans Major Goldie secured the best bowling analysis, two wickets for 25 runs in five overs.

Europeans went in for their innings late in the afternoon with Partridge and Wilkinson sharing the attack. Wilkinson was caught before he could score and at 13 the next man in was out by l-b-w. Dallas followed and the score was raised to 14 for two wickets before stumps were drawn for the day.

To-day's play of the Presidency cricket was uphill task for the Europeans, with two wickets already down and over 400 runs to make to wipe-off arrears. There was no want of resource as far as the bowling of the Indians was concerned. Europeans first innings concluded to-day at 2-45 p.m. for 201 runs of which Shattock scored 61 and as there is a diocrence of 201 runs. Europeans follow on.

Scores:—

INDIAINS (First Innings.)

Ranganadham	c Gwynn b Major T. E. Goldie	0
Thangavelu	b Carrick	23
Vinkata Ramanujulu	b Dallas	0
C K. Naidu	c Wilkinson b Carrick	128
Krishna Swamy	c Wilkinson b Dallas	120
Alagarthanam	lbw b Major Goldie	14
Yogandham	b Dallas	17
M. Ballah,	c Partridge b Carrick	22
T. Vasu	c Carrick b Findlay	48
C R Ganpathy	not out	20
Extras		12
Total		411

EUROPEANS' (First Innings.)

A E Wilkinson	c Yogandham b Ganpati 0
P W Partridge	b Ganapathy 16
J T Gwynn,	lbw, b Ganapathy 0
A S Dallas	c and b Venkata Ramanjulu 52
Major Goldie	b Ganapati 16
R B Carrick	b Naidu 12
E K Shattock	b Ganapati, 61
R K Green	b Ganapati 20
D C Allday	b Vasu 0
W H Findlay	c Alagaratham b Vasu 0
Pte. White	not out 15
Extras	9
Total	201

MADRAS, January 1.

Europeans closed their second innings fo 196 runs making a total of 397 leaving Indian victorious by an innings and 14 runs. Th following is the bowling analysis:—

Europeans.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Major Goldie	5	2	25	2
Dallas	12	2	46	3
Pte. White	21	2	0	0
R B Carrick	16	4	58	4
J. T. Gwynn	15	0	93	0
W. G. Findlay	7	1	30	1

Indiaps.

	O.	M.	R.	W.
C R Ganapati	9	1	27	2
Vasu	5	0	26	1
Subramian	5	1	9	0
Naidu	2	0	12	0
Baliah	7	0	39	0
Krishnaswami	5	0	37	3
Thangavelu	2	0	15	0
Venkataramanulu	25	0	23	3

Indians total 411 runs.
Europeans: 397 runs.

LAHORE XMAS RACES.

From Our Correspondent.

LAHORE, Jan. 1.

Except for the New Year Plate there wer quite large fields for six races on card fo the last day of Lahore Xmas Races. The was a moderate attendance although it was perfect racing weather. There were a number of distinct surprises during day and the bookmakers must have fared well. Racing on the whole was good and exceedingly close finishes were provided in the Shalimar Cup where Simon's Gift Second won a splendid race by a short head and in the Eastern Plate where the Pearl Woodnymph, Priscilla and Hameth Boy passed the post practically in line.

Several well-known riders were absent. Cornforth who was still suffering from a toss he took on Sunday and Harraway and Heherjee Harraway was not allowed to ride subsequent to the first day and Meherjee after the third.

The following are the results:—

THE NEW YEAR PLATE. Distance 2 miles over 8 flights.

Rs. 600 to winner, Rs. 250 to second, and Rs. 150 to third. A handicap hurdle race for ponies 14-2 and under.

Capt Broadfoot's MOONSHINE 11-7 Owner
Mr. Hammiduddin's PRINCE MERV 11-6. Thompson .....
Capt. T Lyon Smith's SIR RUPERT, 12-0, Owner 3

Also Ran: Strathroy 11-9.

Betting 2 to 1 on Sir Rupert, 2 to 1 against Strathroy, 5 to 1 Moonshine. 8 to 1 Prince Merv.

The Race:—Strathroy made the running followed about half a length behind by Sir Rupert beyond the second hurdle Sir Rupert challenged the leader but Strathroy kept his place until near the bend which the pair negotiated together a neck and neck race proceeded from beginning of the straight but Strathroy had shot his bolt and eventually dropped behind. Moonshine kept up followed by Prince Merv and the favourite who was obviously spent was passed. Moonshine winning a splendid race by half a length; lengths between second and third.

Time 4 mis. 3⅘ secs.

Totalisator paid: Rs. 25 for a win and Rs. 12 and Rs. 13 for places.

WOODWARD CUP. Distance 1 mile.

A cup value Rs. 250 presented by Mr. S. C. Woodward and Rs. 700 to the winner, Rs. 300 to the second and Rs. 150 to the third a high weight handicap for the Arab ponies 14-2 and under.

Capt. A Hodgin and Mr. C. Mushgrave's NADIM 9-3, Abdul Wahid 1
Mr. S. C Woodward's GREY BAZ 10-0, Major McCudden 2
Mr. S. Bashir Alih's SECOND STRING 10/5 Capt. Bernard 3

Also ran: Arab Knight 10-10, National 10-10, Axis 10-7, Chester 9-9, Boltaway 9-5, Le Grand 7-13, Amity 7-/, Turk 7-0.

Betting 2 to 1 against Arab Knight and Second String. 3 to 1 National, Axis and Nadim, 4 to 1 Grey Baz, longer prices the rest.

The Race:—Eleven horses faced tape from which field was sent away in good order. They were well bunched on bend at the distance Nadim came into prominence followed by Grey Baz and Second String. The horses passing post in this order. One length a head between second and third.

Time:—1 min. 56 secs.

Totalisator paid: Rs. 37 for a win and Rs. 11. Rs. 15 and Rs. 9 for places.

The SHALIMAR PLATE. Distance 1 mile. (Rs. 400 presented by the R. C. T. C.) Rs. 950 to the winner, Rs. 300 to the second and Rs. 150 0to the third a high weight handicap for horses in the third. and fourth divisions.

Mr. Rosco's SIMON'S GIFT SECOND 11-6, Capt. Bernard .....
Mr. Bilas Raj Shah's IDLE WILL 10-5, Abdul Wahid 2
Mr. Hamiduddin Ahmed's LUNA 10-2, Seastrea m 3
Major J. E. Power's Glenlyon 9-10 Saye 4

Also Ran:—La Fannie 10-05, Le Soleil 10-4, Speak the Truth 9-13, Casket 9-11, Jemima 8-7, Feather 8-4, Dark Legend Second 7-0, Chiaro 7-0.

Betting: Evens Simon's Gift Second, 2 to 1 against Idle Wild, 3 to 1 Luna, 4 to 1 L. Farine, Speak the Truth. Glenlyon and Feather, longer prices the rest.

The Race:—This race provided one or the best finishes of the day. From a good start Simon's Gift Second set pace followed by Field Well together Idle Wild who been with Ruck on bend forged ahead and challenged Simons Gift Second who had assumed lead and a hard fought race followed the favourite just winning by a short head, 1½ lengths between second and third.

Time.—1 min. 45 secs.

Totalisator paid: Rs. 15 for a win and Rs 9. Rs. 11 and Rs. 12 for places.

THE PATIALA CUP. Distance 5 furlongs

A cup value Rs. 250 presented by Maharaja of Patiala and Rs. 700 to the winner Rs. 300 to second and Rs. 150 to the third. A high weight handicap for ponies 14-2 and under.

Mr. C. O. Forth's LADY LYRIC 10-13, Capt. Bernard .....
Mr. Sydney Smith's STARGAZER 7-5, Brownlee .....
Sardar Jewan Singh's MAVOURNEEN 8-8, Abdul Wahid .....

Also ran: Qumri 10-5, Casilda 8-0, Wangy 7-10, Genuine 7-0 (carried 7-4).

Betting: Evens Lady Lyric, 2 to 1 Qumri, 3 to 1 Stargazer, 5 to 1 Mavourneen, 8 to 1 Casilda and Wangy, 10 to 1 Genuine.

The Race:—All kept fairly well together until within a short distance of home when the favourite who was going strong won comfortably by 3-4 length, 1 length between second and third.

Time: 1 min. 41 secs.

The totalisators paid: Rs. 10 for a win and Rs. 7 and Rs. 9 for places.

THE EASTERN PLATE. Distance 7 furlongs.

Rs. 600 to the winner Rs. 250 to the second and Rs. 150 to the third, a high weight handicap for C. B. Horses.

Mahomed Nasir Khan's THE PEARL 9-3, Thompson .....
Majors Castle and Whitaker's WOODNYMPH 11-6 Capt. Bernard .....
Capt. C B Ferrar's PRISCILLA 11-0, Major J. H. McCudden. .....

Also ran: Cheho 9-5, Daulat Bakhsh 8-6, Hameth Boy 8-0, and Black Buck 7-9, (carried 7-11).

Betting: Evens Woodnymph, 4 to 1 The Pearl and Daulat Bakhsh, 5 to 1 Priscilla, 8 to 1 Hameth Boy.

The Race:—There was a very exciting finish between the Pearl, Wodnymph, Priscilla and Hameth Boy, last two coming up very strongly at the end and all four horses passing the post in a line. The winner only got home first by a short head and there was only a neck between the second and the third.

Time:—1 min. 33 secs.

Totalisators paid Rs. 20 for a win and Rs. 6 and Rs. 8 for places.

CONSOLATION RACE. Distance 7 furlongs.

Rs. 600 to the winner Rs. 250 to the second and Rs. 150 to the third. A high weight handicap for C. B. ponies 14-2 and under which have run and not won at the meeting.

Nawab Habibullah Khan's SHINING LIGHT 8-13 Seastream .....
Sirdar Jewan Singh's SHAZADA 7-11, Durga .....

Mrs. A M Bower's VIRVIJ 9-12 Thompson.

Also ran: Dispute 9-9, Sugar Plum 8-9, Winkey 8-6, Bushwhacker 8-5, Suikony 8-5, Copper Queen 8-3, Moidore 8-2, Campaigner 8-2, and Saraswati 7-12 (carried 7-13).

Betting: 2 to 1 Virvig 3 to 1 Copper Queen, 5 to 1 Dispcte, 6 to 1 Saraswati, 8 to 1 Shazadi and Sugar Plum. 10 to 1 Shining Light, Winkey and Sinkong 20 to 1 the others.

The Race:—It was an easy win by six lengthe for Shining Light but there was a great fight for the second place, Shazadi and getting it by a head.

Time:—1 min 34 secs.

The totalisator paid: Rs. 61 for a win and Rs. 12 Rs. 23 and Rs. 7 for places.

Lady Maclagan who had been present throughout afternoon with His Honour Sir Edward Maclagan distributed cups at the conclusion of the meeting.

MADRAS RACES.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENCE.)

MADRAS, Jan. 1.

The First Meeting of the Madras Races opened to-day and was very largely attended. In spite of sultry weather, it was one of the largest gathering over seen at the races in Southern India. Since last year considerable improvement have been made for the convenience of those attending races. Five bookies did business in the first enclosure. The betting this year was restricted to Rs. 30 and above. The Pari Mutel arrangements adopted last year was also continued, and fairly good dividends were paid on ten rupee tickets. The Venkatagiri Cup was the most endowed race of the day. A cup value Rs. 500 presented by Lt. the Raja of Venkatagiri and Rs. 4,505 from the fund. In this Lookout which secured the second place was disqualified for carrying less weight. In the desert place the winner Magic was disqualified and Markhor was declared winner as a result of objection lodged by Markhor for bumping against Magic. The favourites generally came in all the races. The judging of all races was in the hands of Lt.-Col. Gaunt. The following are the results:—

RAJHA VENUGOPAL MEMORIAL PLATE.

Winner Rs. 1,000, second Rs. 300, third Rs. 200. Handicap for Arabs 14 hands and under. The Yavarajha of Kolhapur's TAJ, 9-1, Brown 1
Mr. T. B. Borayannah's MOONLIGHT, 7-9, Babjan 2
Mr. J. H. Nicoles' MITIGATION, 7-9, E. S. Grace 3

THE LEONIDAS PLATE.—Distance 1 mile. Rs. 1,000 to winner, Rs. 300 to second and Rs. 200 to third.

Col. J. Desraj Ur's MISS TWISTUM, 10-1. R. Grace 1
Mr. C. Newman Saunder's WAY OF AN EAGLE, 9-2, Shaunsey 2
Mr. SUILLONE, 9-8, P. Brown 3

THE RAMNAD PLATE.—Distance 5 furlongs.

H. H. Maharaja of Mysore's CERAGO, 9-6, Quinn 1
Mr. M. Gokuldas' TWO GATES, 8-0, S. J. Meekings 2
Mr. W. H. Nurses TYRAN, 8-12, White ... 3

THE VENKATAGIRI CUP.—Distance 1 mile.

Cup value Rs. 500 and Rs. 3,000 to winner, Rs. 1,000 to second, and Rs. 500 to third.

The Yuvarajha of Kolhapur's ANAIZA, 10-10, P. Brown 1
Mr. J. Cromwell's REUTER, 9-3, White ... 2
Mr. Gokuldas' RASHAD, 8-1, S. J. Meekings 3
(Look Out was disqualified.)

THE I. C. S. CUP.

Messrs. Cherry and Heaton's WEE DOTE, 9-0, Grace 1
Lieut. the Raja of Venkatagiri's ORMEDOR, 9-0, O. Shaunsey 2
H. H. Maharajha of Mysore's ARMISTICE, 9-3, Babjan 3

THE DESERT PLATE.—Distance 5 furlongs. Rs. 1,000 to the winner, Rs. 300 to the second and Rs. 200 to the third.

Mr. N. Saunder's MARKHOR, 8-7, O'Shaunssey 1
KEYNOTE 2
K.B. H. I. Sait's BOWREY, 8-1, Bona ... 3
(Magic was disqualified.)

NON-COOPERATION AND ISLAM.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Mr. G. A. N. whose letter you published on Tuesday last says that no man of learning has yet pointed out an instance of Non-Cooperation in the Annals of Islam. But Muslim divines differ with him declaring that Non-Cooperation existed in the time of the Prophet, that they have adopted it because it is commanded by God under certain circumstances and not because Mr. Gandhi has started it.

If Mr. N. will carefully read the following verses from the "Kuran" I think he will be convinced of the correctness of the contention "O True believers do not take my enemy and your enemy for friends, showing kindness towards them. He only forbids you respecting those who have fought against you for religious sake and driven you forth from your homes and have aided in your expulsion, that you make friends with them." Here Muslims are prohibited from entering into friendly relations with the non-believers for a three-fold reason. (1) Because the latter waged a religious war against them; (2) they dispossessed them of their habitations; (3) and assisted others in their expulsion

Muslim doctors maintain that the British Government is guilty of these three hostile acts and hence Muslims must sever the ties of friendship and avoid cooperation with it. For Cooperation slowly but surely leads to friendship, as the lack of friendship and kindness leads to Non-cooperation.

They say that when Palestine was taken the Prime Minister called it a brilliant victory of the Cross. The terms of the Turkish treaty are what they are because the Turks are Muslims and not Christians. The English have dispossessed them of their countries and assisted Greece in occupying Thrace, whence thousands of Turks, through Greek tyranny, had to flee leaving their homes and possessions behind them. Such being the case, we must obey the Divine commandment: "Do not take them for friends."—Yours, etc.

MUNSHI MAHOMED KHAN.

Fergusson College, Dec. 30.

DISTURBANCE AT MEIKTULA.

ALLEGED ASSAULT ON SHOPKEEPERS BY RIFLEMEN.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

RANGOON, Jan. 2

A serious disturbance has taken place at Meiktula during which, it is stated, the men of the Depot Burma Rifles broke out and attacked Indian shopkeepers and looted shops. A shot appears to have been fired at the riflemen by some unknown person as a result of which one of them died and another is lying in the hospital. Several traders are also lying in the hospital with injuries received during the riot. The Carnatic Infantry is now guarding the town. The shops in the locality are closed and inhabitants seem to be panic-stricken.

COLLEGE AND SCHOOL STUDENTS RESOLVE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

RANGOON, Jan. 2.

A conference of college and school students' delegates and olders held on Friday passed resolutions supporting the previous action of boycott, demanding the abolition of preliminary year University course and European education code, demanding the immediate removal of Mr. Mark Hunter, Director of Public Instruction, from Government service, and also urging the boycott of Lieutenant-Governor and three Burmans who are said to have advised students to their institutions.

RAINFALL IN INDIA.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Jan. 2.

Rain has fallen locally in Assam, Dibrugarh, Sibsagar reporting half an inch. A fresh western disturbance is approaching the Northwest Frontier.

Forecast:—Decrease of rain in Assam.

A Rangoon message, of January 2 says, it is understood that the Tramways Company have agreed, in view of the opposition in the shape of boycott of trams, not to raise the fares.

A Delhi message, January 2 says, telegrams have been received from important stations in India reporting Proclamation Parades on the 1st January.

"HONOURS" LIST!

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

DELHI, Dec. 31.

The following New Year's "Honours" are gazetted. We regret very much we could not spare space for theese in our Saturday's issue:—

RAI SAHEB.

Amal Krishna Mukharji, Deputy Magistrate, Bengal; Nilmani Ghatak, Chairman English Bazar Municipality, Malda, Benga Gobin Lal Bonner of Kaviratna, Calcutt Jogendralal Khastagir, Deputy Commissione of Excise and Salt, Bengal; Basanta Chandr Das, Head Master, Faridpur Zilla School, Bengal; Braja Behari Barman, Officiating Deputy Superintendent of Police, Bengal; Amrita Lal Bhattacharji, Inspector of Police, Bengal; Nani Lal Mukharji, Manager Jail Depot, Calcutta; Jatindra Nath Ray, Assistant Engineer, Bengal; Chandi Prasad, Supervisor, Public Works Department, United Provinces; Avadh Bihari Lal, Vakil, Partabgarh, United Provinces; Atal Bihari Lal, Unao, United Provinces; Kishori Lal, Vakil, Aligarh; Ganga Dat Pande, Officiating Superintendent, United Provinces, Secretariat; Thakur Prasad, Managing Director, Distract Co-operative Bank, Panda, United Provinces; Bepin Bihari Banerji, Headmaster, McDonnell High School, Jhansi, United Provinces; Sub-Assistant Surgeon Parsotam Das, United Provinces; Munshi Nawab Lal, Chairman, Municipal Board, Ballia, United Provinces; Har Deo Prasad, Vakil, Fyzabad, United Provinces; Lala Shiv Narayan, Public Prosecutor, Karnal, Punjab; Civil Assistant-Surgeon, Lala Jagat Narayan, Punjab; Diwan Bhand, Sub-Inspector of Police, Punjab; Sant Ram Sahni, Extra Assistant Commissioner, Punjab; Mian Sher Singh, Tahsildar and Manager, Keonthal State, Simla Hill States; Labhu Ram, Pleader, Jullundar City, Punjab; Sufi Lachhman Parshad, Editor "Jungi Peshwa," Ferozepur, Punjab; Chaudhri Diwan Chand Saini, Pleader, Gurdaspur, Punjab; Paras Das, Government Treasurer of Karnal, Gurgaon and Delhi; Sardar Bhuta Ram, Assistant Military Secretary to the Maharaja of Patiala; Surendra Nath Ghosh, Civil Assistant Surgeon, Temple Medical School, Patna; Babu Shiva Prasad Regmi, Deput Superintendent of Police, Darbhanga; Pandit Lakshmi Misra, Deputy Magistrate, Bihar and Orissa; Khetra Nath Paramanik, Inspector of Police, Bihar and Orissa; Kharag Narayan Singh, Zamindar and Banker, Begusarai, Monghyr, Bihar and Orissa; Babu Hazari Lal, Manager Inchha Ram, Dinapore, Bihar and Orissa; Lala Bihari Lal, Sub-manager, Parihar Circle, Darbhanga; Rajputana; Jaya Narayan Sahay, Registrar, Public Works Department, Bihar and Orissa; Makini Kumar Chatterjee, Civil Surgeon, Burma; Mr. Roheni Kumar Sen, Assistant Engineer, Burma; Seth Hardass Nagpur, Central Provinces; Mr. Manak Chand, Assistant Engineer, Central Provinces; Raghunath Prasad, District Excise Officer, Nagpur; Hira Lal Verma M.A., Bar-at-Law, Chhindwara, Central Provinces; Bakshiram Jagannath, Bilaspur, Central Provinces; Srijut Radhika Prasad Barua, Honorary Magistrate, Sibsagar, Assam; Sub-Assistant Surgeon Jyotindra Mohan Basu, Chief Commissioner's Staff, Shillong, Kunji Behari Lal Tewari, Private Secretary to the Raja of Narsingarh; Lala Onkar Baksh Hajley, Accounts Officer, Rajgarh State; Munshi Parmanand Naib, Tahsildar, Central Provinces; Lala Diwan Chand Oberai, Public Prosecutor, Peshawar Division; Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Lachhman Dal, Baluchistan; Mohanlal Tarachand Shah, late Diwan Dungarpur; Dr. Shankar Narayan Parnaik, Medical Officer, Jodhpur Imperial Service Lancers; Pandit Mansaram Shukul, Superintendent, Customs and Exeise, Sirohi State; Munshi Radha Mohan Lal, City Magistrate, Jaipur State; Babu Raj Kumar Avasti Mir Munshi, British Legation, Nepal; Sub-Assistant Surgeon Balak Ram, British Legation, Nepal; Satish Chandra Biswas, Assistant, Foreign and Political Department, Government of India; Sub-Assistant Surgeon Achhru Ram, Indian Medical Department; Senior Sub Assistant Surgeon Murari Lal, Indian Medical Department; Lal Chand, Overseer, Military Works Services, Bannu; Ramjidass, Contractor, Military Works Services, Sialkot; Ram Gopal, 1st class Supply and Transport Agent; Saila Sokhar Ghosh, Assistant Army Department, Government of India; Hari Das Ghosh, Assistant, Army Department, Government of India; Chandra Nath Chakravarti, Superintendent, Finance Department, Government of India; Krishan Lal Roy, Medal contractor and jeweller, Calcutta; Behari Lal Benarji, Senior Supervisor, Ordnance Factories, Calcutta; Katric Chunder Dass, Deputy Examiner of Military Accounts, Lahore; Lala Hari Shankar Kaisth, Assistant, Office of the Financial Advisor, Military Finance; Jogesh Chandra Mookerjee, Assistant Auditor, East Indian Railway; Sham Kishen Kaul, Senior Assistant Auditor, Bengal Nagpur Railway; Prabhas Chandra Banerjee, Superintendent, office of the Agent, Eastern Bengal Railway; Kashi Ram, Additional Deputy Postmaster, Gawnpore; Lalit Chandra Sen, Assistant, Department of Commerce, Government of India; Sambhu Chandra butta, Chief Superintendent, Office of the Chief Controller of surplus Stores.

RAO SAHEB.

Ramisetti Subhayya Nayudu, Deputy Collector, Madras Presidency; Ravula Venkata Subbiah, Guntur District, Madras Presidency; Thalakkoti Madhathil Kunju, Nedungadi; District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Trichinopoly; Pethachi Muthukaruppa, Algalla; Ramaswami Muttavya Chettiyar, Landholder, Chittoor District; Conjeevaram Sathisiva Ratnasabhapathi Mudaliar, President, Taluk Board, Coimbatore; Deivasagaya Arulandam Pillai, Assistant Commissioner of Labour Madras; Tirumalai Ramakrishna Ayyangar Avargal, Inspector of Police, Madras Presidency; Kauthadi Rangaswami Ayyangar Avargal, Inspector of Police, Madras Presidency; Thirubamu Sundara Reddi, Assistant Professor of Anatomy, Medical College, Madras; Sankaram Chettiar Ellapa Chettivar, Salem, Madras Presidency; Subbarava Venkatesa Avvar Avargal, Inspector of Police, Madras Presidency; Janoobhai Bhaflal Desai, Acting Inspector of Police, Panch Mahals, Bombay; Shewaram Dewanmul, Honorary Magistrate, Karachi; Ramkrishan Venkatrao Padbidri, Mamlatdar of Hubli, Dharwar District; Rudrappa Chenvirappa Halappanavar of Sadalgi, Belgaum District; Sadashiv Bhaskar Limaye, Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bombay; Mr. Dayabhai Pranubhai Desai, Additional Income-Tax Collector, Karachi; Thakur Umed Singh of Panchota, Jodhpur State; Senior Sub-Assistant Surgeon Ramchandra Garu Naidu, Indian Medical Department; T. Ratnasabhapathi Pillai, Head Accountant, Office of Examiner of Accounts, Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway; C. N. Ramaswami Iyengar, Cordite Factory, Aruvankadu, Madras Presidency; Mr. Subbrayer Krishnaswamy Iyer, Deputy Examiner of Military Accounts, Poona Division; Ram Krishna Bhawoo Puranik, Assistant Traffic Manager, Barsi Light Railway; K. Venkataram Naidu, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway; Narayan Balwant Shintre, Superintendent of Post Offices, Bombay Presidency; Phidambara Venkatarama Aiyar, Personal Assistant to Commerce Member, Viceroy's Executive Council.

POLICE MEDAL.

The following officers and men have been awarded the King's Police Medal:—

MADRAS.

J. W. M. North, Inspector; Govind Aranjalu Nayadu, head constable. M. Kallimullah Sahib Chida, Deputy Superintendent, Natesa Mudaliar, constable; R. Jagannadha Rao Naydu, Inspector of Police, P. Ella Maruga Pillai, constable; Ignasimuthu, head constable, Ramnad District.

BOMBAY.

F. E. Sharp, Assistant Superintendent of Police; P. A. Kelly, District Superintendent of Police; Abdul Karim Abdul Aziz, Sub-Inspector of Police; K. D. Mohamed Brohi, Inspector of Police, E. L. Cauty, Superintendent; S. R. Shaikh Chand, head constable.

BENGAL.

Rasiduddin Ahmad, head constable; Harendra Nath Chakrabatti, head constable; Mohendra Nath Mukerjee, Inspector, Calcutta Police; Didar Husain, Inspector of Police, G. W. Dixon, Superintendent of Police; Bharat Chandra Mukerji, head constable; Derajuddin, constable; Subodh Chandra Chakravarti, Inspector of Police; Shaj Mohammed, head constable; Thakur Singh, Inspector of Police.

UNITED PROVINCES.

P. Chakra Dhar Jayal, Superintendent of Police; Aziz Khan, Sub-Inspector; Har Prasad, Sub Inspector; F. Young, officiating Superintendent of Police; L. Mackenzie Kaye, Inspector General of Police.

PUNJAB.

H. O. Degale, Superintendent of Police, Anar Khan, officiating Inspector of Police.

MIANWALI.

H. G. Fitzgerald, Deputy Inspector General of Police, Agha Ali Raza Khan, Superintendent of Police; Jiwan Lall, Inspector of Police.

BURMA.

J. L. Ammaneny, officiating Deputy Inspector General of Police; F. H. Fearnley Whittingstall, Superintendent of Police; Gulab Khan, constable.

RANGOON,

Khiwan Khan, head constable.

YAMETHIN.

Pow Shin, Subadar Burma Military Police, Lt. R. G. B. Lawson, Superintendent of Police.

BIHAR AND ORISSA.

R. J. Ashby, Inspector of Police.

CENTRAL PROVINCES.

Natharam, Inspector of Police, Ramlal, Inspector of Police.

ASSAM.

A. T. Halliday, Special Superintendent of Police in charge; Bhuban Mohan Ganguli, Deputy Superintendent of Police; Hangopal Simbu Jamandar, 3rd battalion, Assam Rifles.

NORTH-WEST FRONTIER PROVINCE.

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DELHI.

Hamimuddin, Inspector of Police.

HYDERABAD STATE.

E. J. Bayley, Deputy Superintendent, Hyderabad Railway Police.

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ADDRESS TO SIR S. BANERJEE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Jan. 1.

The staff of the "Bengalee" office gave a farewell party to Hon. Sir Surendra Nath Banerjee this evening. Nawab Nawabali Chowdhuri and Mr. P. C. Mitter, two newly appointed ministers and the Maharaja of Cossimbazar were present on the occasion.

Replying to the addresses presented to him Sir Surendra Nath said that the Maharaja had touched upon the honour of Knighthood that had been conferred upon him. It had come to him unsolicited, uncalled for and unprayed for. It was a spontaneous gift of the Sovereign conferred, as he had reason to believe, on a high authority for signal services rendered to the State and to the country. Was he to decline and look askance No, that would not be in accord with the better sense of his countrymen.

Regarding his acceptance of office, he said he would be able to shape guide and mould the policy of the Government so far as it lay with him. He had the permission of the Governor that it would be open to him to address public meetings. He was not an official but a servant of the public. His position was analogous to that of the Ministers of the United Kingdom. He assured them that he would endeavour to promote the interests of his Party.

BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

Domestic Occurrence.

DEATH.

PROF. CHHIBER.—Hormajshah Manekji of Poona, Agricultural College, son of Mr. Manekji Nusserwanji Chhiber and son-in-law of Mr. Framrose Rustomji Joshi, died of heart failure in his office in Poona on 1st January, 1921, at about 4 p.m., aged 43 years.

LECTURE BY SIR J. C. BOSE.

Professor Sir J. C. Bose, I.L.D., F.R.S., will deliver a Public Address, to Students and others, on "Science and Research," in the Hall, St. Xavier's College, To-day, (Monday, 3rd Jan.), at 4-15 p.m.

A UNIQUE DISTINCTION.

In appreciation of the "distinguished war service" rendered by him, Mr. S. A. Tirodkar, an employee in the Assessment Departments of the Bombay Municipality, has been conferred the certificate of the Order of the Red Triangle and the Gold Badge of the National Council of Y. M. A.'s, London—the highest distinctions in the possession of these two bodies. Mr. Tirodkar is the first Hindu to earn these honours and perhaps the only Indian on this side of India. He worked as an honorary librarian in the Lady Hardinge War Hospital from the inception till the close of the hospital and made himself useful in every way, looking after the comforts of the sick and wounded and encouraging the soldiers to read books and take part in games and accompanying them in their outings and trips. Mr. Tirodkar was unfailing in his attention to the comforts of the patients even when all other volunteers and visitors suspended their activities during the influenza and cholera epidemics. All this work Mr. Tirodkar did during his leisure hours only, as he continued to be in the employ of the Municipality all the time.

BANYARDS' COMPANY AT THE EXCELSIOR

On the night of Saturday Banyard's Company performed at the Excelsior theatre the popular Musical Comedy "Harem Belles." Though the performance was a repeated one there was a crowded house the boxes and seats in the dress circle being filled with a throng of expectant play-lovers who were sure of a clear two-and-a half hours' of fun frolic and merriment. It would be no exaggeration to say that "Harem Belles" is the most delightful of all the Musical Comedies that this enterprising Company has staged up to the present and the fact was amply demonstrated by the shouts of laughter which greeted the witty sallies of Mr. Leonard Neville—the encores which were enthusiastically accorded to all the singers especially Miss May Rawkinson and Miss Viola Williams and the spontaneous applause which was the inevitable accompaniment of any clever piece of acting. As the performance has already been once noticed in these columns it would be useless to go into details—but all the same special mention must be made of the excellent stage setting and scenic arrangements employed for depicting the interior of a gorgeous "Harem" and the graceful evolutions of the beauty chorus which were close studies from original eastern dances. Messrs. Douglas Maclaren and Ian MacLean distinguished themselves again in their respective roles of the ardent lover and an eastern character. If subsequent performances of Banyard's Company reach up to the level of excellence reached by this performance—the success and popularity of the Company is assured as far as the Bombay play-going public is concerned.

BROTHEL VISITOR'S FATE.

The Coroner and a common jury yesterday, held an inquest at the Coroner's Court, touching the death of Tominger, a Japanese boatswin on board the s.s. "Cyevally," who died in a brothel at the junction of Foras Road and Suklaji Street where it is alleged, he was assaulted by a European

Mr. H. Bushy, the Chief Officer on board the vessel where deceased was a boatswin, said that he saw the deceased alive on the morning of the New Year's Day when he along with others was leaving the boat. He had a holiday on that day. The deceased was a healthy man and did his work without complaint. The witness further stated that the deceased was a man of good temper and disposition.

Chisa, the keeper of the brothel where the deceased died, said the deceased with other Japanese was in her house on the New Year's Day twice—once during the day and again from 5-30 to 6 p.m. In the evening only the deceased and another Japanese were in her brothel. They had food and drink at the house while they were there. Subsequently two Europeans came into the brothel. She went out to the Europeans when one of them embraced her. She did not know the Europeans' language and they did not know Japanese. So, the deceased came out and told the man who had caught her to let her go. The Europeans then went into her room and the deceased followed them. The European who had embraced her then dealt a blow on the deceased's nose and he at once fell on the platform. She took hold of the sleeve of the European but he released himself and both the Europeans then left the house. The deceased was motionless and did not speak again. Hari, the other Japanese, and an ava went out for Police but did not find anyone. Another Japanese woman then went out and brought a Police officer who took charge of the body of the deceased.

Jaibai, the "aya," corroborated the statement of Chisa.

Dr. Nunan, the Police Surgeon, who held a post mortem examination on the deceased's body, said there was a contused transverse wound on the bridge of the nose and that the cartilags of the nose were dislocated from the nasal bonds. The cause of the death in his opinion, was heart failure resulting from a shock caused by a blow on the nose which dislocated the cartilages.

The jury recorded that the death was due to heart failure resulting from a blow with the fist given by a person, to the jury unknown, and the artificial respiration was not tried in the case.

Official & Personal.

Their Excellencies were present at the Races Saturday afternoon.

The Archbishop of Brisbane and Canon Batty arrived at Government House on Saturday.

Sir Benjamin and Lady Robertson, Sir Ion and Lady Hamilton Benn and His Honour Sir Edward Gait and Lady Gait and Captain E. D T. Rowley left Government House on Saturday.

A Calcutta message, January 2 says, death took place yesterday afternoon of Pandit Suresh Chunder Samajpati. The deceased was the grandson of late Pandit Iswar Chunder Vidyasagar. Suresh Chunder was a well-known Bengalee writer and orator. He was intimately connected with Bengalee journalism and author of several Bengalee works.

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THE ARCH-PROFITEER---II.

We referred in the previous article to the rapacious attitude of the heaven-born service as also to the avarice of power, which has resisted the growth of free institutions. What relief do we find in Resolution No. 2559 endorsed by Mr. Montagu? Five methods of appointment are prescribed for the future—viz., open competition in London, separate competition in India, nomination in India, promotion from the Provincial Civil Service and, lastly, appointment from the Bar. The first method is to be retained as "the main channel of entry to the service", the other four being subsidiary openings meant to mitigate the obvious injustice of foreign recruitment. Nominally, the London examinations allow of open competition, but the enormous cost of preparing in London has always checked the chances of deserving Indians who do not happen to have the means of proving their worth in London. The Calcutta Congress of 1917 insisted on the normal procedure of recruiting the services of a country from among its own people, leaving the door open for foreign competitors to excel on fair terms. The Public Services Commission, on the other hand, wanted to crush the chances of Indians in the London examination by lowering the age to the school-leaving period of British students. The Secretary of State has happily discarded the insidious restriction and adhered to the old age-limits. The resolution speaks of the paramount necessity of securing for the I.C.S., officers of the "highest possible quality," an aim that is exceptionable, but its restrictions again exclude the free claims of Indians to prove their quality. Ten years ago, Indians had asked for the provision of at least simultaneous examinations, the results to be tabled according to the merit of candidates in India and in London, without any fixed minimum of posts for either group of candidates. We want the examinations to be held in India and if foreign candidates have cause to be timid of an open trial of merit, India will have to forfeit the illusory benefits accruing from the present system of preferential treatment. But the coach of bureaucratic policy is lumbering its way farther behind the claims of India in the last century. They fix a limited number of places for open competition in India and take the rest for assignment in London. The policy of gently amputating Burma—which is now the land of promise for mining and industrial capitalists—has been pushed forward by the provisions that no Indian shall henceforth serve in the Burma section of the I. C. S., and no Burman in the rest of India. The scheme of keeping Burma watertight against Indian influence will reveal its political and economical objectives as time passes, but reactionaries have been winning all along the line and ten years' time may make the hold of foreign capitalists complete in that province. It is preposterous that an original inhabitant of British Guiana should be free to serve in Burma while an Indian, because he is an Indian, should be penalised. As a matter of principle, it is our grievance which should have a correlative prohibition. Candidates from countries in which Indians are not allowed to land or reside or serve, should be told that reciprocity bids them do something else than serve untouchable Indians. It is humiliating that while Indians are insulted and despised in South Africa, it should be free for a South African to come and develop this country, and incidentally pocket the gains of a profiteering service.

What, after all, is to be the percentage of Indians in the Civil Service? "After full consideration and with the approval of the Secretary of State, the Government of India have decided to adopt the proportion suggested in paragraph 317 of the Joint Report on Indian Constitutional Reforms." The proportion mentioned is 33 per cent to rise gradually to 50 per cent in ten years. When in 1918 Mr. Montagu was having his political picnic in this country, the question of Europeans serving Indian superiors was canvassed by certain exalted officers, who were "essentially British" in their proclivities. Mr. Montagu's scheme was to bisect or trisect the fabric of administration and hand over a part to Indian "Ministers" nominally under the legislature, but really under the gubernatorial screw. The exalted officers afore mentioned were agitated about the subordination of "white" to "black", and it is understood that to meet the objection, a seeming concession of justice was made to Indians who were assured of a 33 per cent proportion in the Service for them. A sufficient number of Indian officers was, according to this theory, necessary to complete the cadre of Service under the "Ministers," the number to be ready at hand to suit adjustments in the event of strained feeling. The proportion of 33 per cent was to increase, by homeopathic grades of 1½ per cent annually for ten years, straight up "to a maximum of 48 per cent which will be taken as an all-round figure to cover total Indian recruitment *from all sources including promotion from the Provincial service and appointment from the Bar.*") Such is the pleasure of the authorities, 48 per cent being the final limit of Indian personnel in the Service. The examinations in India are merely to provide for the marginal addition required to complete the ordained percentage each year. The resolution says: "The number of Indians to be recruited in India by examination and nomination will be fixed each year after taking into account the number of Indians recruited in other ways *including the open competition in London.*" It is the old game of "Heads I win, tails you lose," and the yearly opening in India will depend on the results of the London examination. We emphatically protest against these pseudo-statutory fixations of limit, because it is a shameless violation of the assurance, first proclaimed by Queen Victoria, that every office under the Crown in India would be accessible on the test of merit, without any reference to race, creed or colour. All this talk of 33 per cent., 1½ per cent and 48 per cent entirely ignores the assurance given on the assumption of India by the Crown, and it is meant to defraud Indians of rights repeatedly pledged to them. To say that a particular office or a particular number of offices *shall* belong to Europeans and not to Indians, is to go directly against royal pledges which deliberately discarded the rule of racial discrimination. Now we are told that the pledge will be binding to the degree of 50 per cent, which is a pernicious and faithless distortion of principle. And is it any wonder that while the bureaucracy is anxious to retain the loaves and fishes of office and falsify pledges for the purpose, it manages to make a big hole in Indian finance? Patriotism is the real incentive to retrenchment. The bureaucracy is animated neither by principle nor a sense of economy, for the field is to them less of service than of racial rivalry and violent greed. With these incessant attempts at artificiality and exclusion, how can the bureaucrat complain if the Indian condemns him as the first obstacle that stands between him and the equalisation of opportunities in the country?

The resolution finally reserves a large number of "superior" appointments for the I. C. S., in Madras 90, in Bombay 74, in Bengal 101, in U. P. 114, in the Punjab 78, in Burma 86, in Bihar and Orissa 61, in Central Provinces 56, in Assam 21. The cream of offices in other departments is reserved for the Civilian, and 56 other superior posts are provided for him. To show the audacious claims of the Service for every office of first-class importance that may be secured, we shall merely refer to the stipulations laid on the Indian Finance Department. The Service is, it is well-known, partly recruited in India by open competition and the Indian section has provided a succession of brilliant officers. They form the back-bone of the department and a look at any finance section is enough to convince any observer of the quality of the men who run the department in India. Even the Public Services Commission was forced to pay a warm tribute to the success of Indian officers. Even in the provinces, where the civilian is made cock of the walk, it is the Indian officer who gives the department real continuity of method and keeps it safe from the amateur-hand of bunglers. Still, eight superior appointments are kept reserved for the *subjanta* civilian. The Secretary, Financial Adviser (Military Finance), Deputy-Secretary, three Accountants-General, Comptroller-General and Controller of Currency—these should needs be civilians and not distinguished officers of the service who know the ropes and run the show. In his charge of Finance in the Military Department, Mr. B. N. Mitra has shown a splendid record, and his fellow-officers know it. A man like Datta is precluded from these offices, because he does not belong to the Civil Service. Even comparatively junior officers like Mr. Raghavendra Rao and Mr. Mohan Rau, can, it may be modestly claimed, acquit themselves as well as your I. C. S. prodigy. The implicit assumption of special genius is a fraud, which the Civilian in the Finance Department himself will admit. May we ask why the Registrar of Cooperative Societies in Bombay must needs be a civilian? A trained officer, who is an Indian, may do better in his relations with the ryot than the civilian. In Madras, Dr. John Matthai did well as assistant to the Registrar of Cooperative Societies, but as he had spurned the competition while in England, the way in his department became barred for him and he had to emigrate to the Educational Service. A critical study of the Government Resolution reveals how Indian interests are run over by the Juggernaut Car of the Civil Service, and how firmly they resist the honest observance of recognition by merit and equal opportunity. The lesson of these manoeuvrings is plain, though incredible for belief after all the tall talk of efficiency, economy and fair-play.

Notes of the Day.

Mr. Lloyd George and Turkey.

The Premier's pronouncement in the Commons last week, on the Turkish question has revealed to the world how strong is his opposition to a revision of the Turkish Treaty. The statement ascribed to the French Foreign Minister that there is no difference of opinion between himself and Mr. Lloyd George regarding the affairs in the Levant but that the latter does not desire a public discussion on the revision of the Treaty of Sevres is only calculated to confirm the impression that he is determined, so far as he can, to prevent justice being done to the Turks and Islam alike. Why then this aversion publicly to do the right and just thing by taking advantage of a favourable opportunity? However that may be, a rude awakening awaits Mr. Lloyd George and whether he wills it or not, the hard logic of events will compel him to abandon the designs of militarist aggrandisement and economic imperialism, for the fulfilment of which the crime of the Treaty of Sevres was perpetrated.

As Usual.

The comments of the London Tory press on the "stormy" (?) incidents at the Nagpur Congress, are couched in the familiar style of "I told you so!" These journals and the people for whom they speak had no great love for the Reforms which Mr. Montagu initiated and they have been representing that they were premature and were being forced on an unwilling and undeserving people. They are now agreeably surprised to find a confirmation of their belief, in the proceedings of the Nagpur Congress! While the "Daily Telegraph" rejoices over an imaginary split in the Congress camp, the "Morning Post" confidently assures the British public that popular government finds no response in Eastern people and what Indians need and are really hankering after is "strong" rule. It, therefore, suggests that either a soldier or a nobleman—the two pillars of the British Empire—should be appointed as Viceroy. If the "Morning Post" had any voice in the appointment, it goes without saying that General Dyer, its protege, would have the best chances of coming out to "rule" India. As for the "Times," we note that its zeal for the appointment of some local satrap as Viceroy remains unabated, though it is only a hope against hope now.

Chirolian Fatuities.

For some weeks to come India will have to put up with Sir Valentine Chirol, but we do not suppose the country will be any the worse for the hospitality he has enjoyed at its hands, even though, as on some former occasions, such hospitality should be abused. Sir Valentine has begun afresh to enlighten his countrymen on the significance and various aspects of the "Indian Unrest." Sir Valentine, as the Indian public know but too well, is a past master in the art of misrepresentation, but he will find the job a good deal stiffer than usual this time. It will be noted that he is unable to play the non-Brahmin against the Brahmin or the Muslim against the Hindu, as has been his favourite game all these years. Tilak is no more and Mr. Gandhi does not happen to be a Brahmin, nor is Mr. Das or Mr. Pal one. Again, the All-India Muslim League, started initially as a counter-blast to the Congress, has so completely changed its complexion and identified itself with Congress aims and methods that Sir Valentine must find little scope for his mischief-making propensities in the relations between Hindus and Muslims. He is evidently at a loss to explain satisfactorily to his countrymen the strange phenomenon of Indian Muslims joining Mr. Gandhi's efforts to establish Swaraj. This Swaraj he misrepresents to be "Hindu Swaraj" and dwells on the alarm among Muslim parents at the boycott of schools by their children at the instigation of Mr. Gandhi. Sir Valentine fails to mention that some Hindu parents are no less alarmed. He is not unconcerned about the dangers to his country from the boycott movement which is spreading apace, but is trying to reassure his countrymen, that it will be some time before British industries are directly affected. Finally Englishmen are assured that Mr. Gandhi's pacificism is as repugnant to the Indian people as Bolshevism. If this were a fact, why raise such hullabaloo about the non-cooperation movement and the menace of Bolshevism in India?

The Government of Bombay.

The constitution of the Government of Bombay has at last been announced. The delay in the announcement had led us to believe that Sir George Lloyd,—whose main strength, we were told, lay in his disdain of prestige and the subordination of the latter to the interests of the people—was determined not to follow the evil example of the Governments of Madras and Bengal in having four members of the Executive Council. We regret Sir George has, after all, proved himself to be no less a votary of prestige than the average bureaucrat in this country—and no less indifferent to the waste of public money. Apart from this, the selection of Indian members of the Executive Council—having regard to the fact that no Congressman would, of course, associate himself with Government—is unexceptionable, both Sir Ibrahim Rahimtoola and Sir Chimanlal being far and away superior, in calibre, to the best of bureaucrats in any part of the country. Perhaps, when the occasion comes, Sir Chimanlal may excel even the most hardened Civilian in his characteristic defect of being "bureaucratic." As for the Ministers, there can be no doubt—bearing in mind the same reservation as we have made in respect of the Executive Councillors—they represent the brain of the present Council, *as it is composed.* Both Mr. Chunilal Mehta and Mr. Paranjpye have adequate personal qualifications for the office to which they have been called. We cannot say the same thing about Mr. Hidayatullah, who has evidently been select merely because of his seniority. For the rest the Ministers must be told that they are the nominees of the Governor and that they no more represent the people of Bombay than does the man in the moon—for the simple reason that the people have no faith in this Council and the tinsel "concession" of "Responsible Government" which it is supposed to confer. If, therefore, they fail to do anything, let them thank themselves. They will perform their duty to the people best—by resigning their Ministership.

Sir George Lloyd and Mr. Horniman.

"India" writes:—

Commenting last week on the tributes paid to Mr. Horniman at the first meeting of the All-India Trades Union Congress held in Bombay on November 5, we referred to Mr. Jamnadas Dwarkadas's declaration of continued faith in the statesmanship of Sir George Lloyd, and suggested that a suitable means of testing the mind and intentions of his Excellency would be for Mr. Jamnadas Dwarkadas and other Bombay leaders to take a deputation to the Governor of Bombay. Our suggestion, we find from the last mail, has been anticipated. An influential deputation from the Trades Union Congress, headed by Mr. Joseph Baptista, waited upon Sir George Lloyd, to lay before him the resolutions of the Congress, and presented a memorial dealing with a number of important questions, in the course of which we find the following passage:

> "The continued deportation of Mr. Horniman is also causing much discontent among all classes, and especially among the workers in Bombay, for whom he laboured strenuously, even at the risk of his life. We believe it is entirely in Your Excellency's power to remove the bar to his return to Bombay, and we earnestly entreat the removal of this bar."

The Governor of Bombay made a lengthy reply, touching upon the various representations contained in the memorial. *But the reference to Mr. Horniman was completely ignored.* So much for the statesmanship of Sir George Lloyd—and his sense of the courtesy that he owed to a deputation representing a most important and influential section of the Bombay community whom he favoured with a personal interview!

We are glad the Nagpur Congress did not forget Mr. Horniman or his services. It put on record "its feeling of gratefulness to Mr. B. G. Horniman, whose arduous labours and courageous championship of the cause of India have made the Indian case widely known to the people outside India" and condemned the policy of the Government which still keeps him removed from the Indian people. It is upto the people of Bombay to see that this policy is reversed at once.

INDIA'S CALL FOR SACRIFICE.

TREATY OF SEVRES.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE OPPOSED TO PUBLIC DISCUSSION.

STATEMENT BY FRENCH PREMIER.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Dec. 30.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Jan. 1.

A telegram from Paris says the Foreign Minister M. Leygues, to-day spoke at a meeting of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Senate after which a member of the Committee in an interview with the "Echo de Paris" said M. Leygues informed the Committee that there was no difference of opinion between himself and Mr. Lloyd George regarding the affairs in the Levant, but Mr. Lloyd George did not desire a public discussion on the revision of the Treaty of Sevres.

HINDU-MUSLIM UNITY.

V. CHIROL'S SCEPTICISM.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, Dec. 30.

Sir Valentine Chirol in the course of his second article in "The Times" points out the remarkable incompatibility of Indian Mussulmans joining Mr. Gandhi's efforts to establish Hindu Swaraj in India but declares that this tendency to fraternisation does not allay the misgivings of Moslem parents over Mr. Gandhi's exhortations to students and schoolboys to disregard parential authority and desert colleges and schools in spite of parents' wishes. He refers to the failure to boycott the Aligarh College and the Hindu University at Benares and declares that British imported goods cannot be boycotted indefinitely because, until Indian industries are established on a much larger and more varied scale, India's products cannot possibly suffice.

He concludes that Mr. Gandhi's Tolstoyan pacificism is as repugnant to the average Indian's conservative instincts as the forceful methods of Bolshevism, in which connection he says, few Indians wish to share Bokhara's fate. Indians, he says, know that in the event of the removal of the British Raj, India would relapse into a far worse foreign bondage of internal anarchy.

RECALL OF M. KRASSIN.

BRITAIN'S TRADING RELATIONS WITH RUSSIA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Dec. 30.
Recd. 7 p.m., Jan. 1.

A Moscow wireless message states that M. Krassin has been recalled to consult with the Soviet regarding "Britain's evasions of her obligations with regard to trading with Russia."

FRENCH CHAMBER VOTES FOR SYRIAN EXPENSES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Dec. 31.
Recd. 11-15 a.m. Jan. 2.

Paris.—The Chamber has passed a vote meeting the expenses for Syria after debate, in which M. Leygues declared that absolute tranquility reigned in Syria.

LONDON SCHOOL OF ORIENTAL STUDIES

INSTRUCTION IN 31 LANGUAGES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON. Dec. 30.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Jan. 1.

The report of the governing body of the School of Oriental Studies in London for eleven months ending July 31st. shows that there was a roll of 539 students of whom 145 were women, compared with 266 students including 116 women last year. Intruction was given in thirtyone oriental and African languages. The largest demand was for Arabic but students of Chinese and Hindustani showed a marked increase.

CABLE ITEMS.

The British Government to-day reduced the price of all foreign wheat by two shillings a quarter.

M. Krassin to-day visited the Board of Trade to resume negotiations for the Anglo-Russian trade agreement.

New York.—Caruso's condition is satisfactory.

"HERE WE DIE FOR OUR COUNTRY'S SAKE"

NATION'S RESOLVE TO FIGHT.

THE "TREMENDOUS TYRANNY OF 170 YEARS."

"MARCH FORWARD AND SUCCEED."

PRESIDENT'S CONCLUDING SPEECH.

TRIBUTE TO MR. HORNIMAN

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

NAGPUR, Dec. 31.

The Congress met this afternoon at three with a very heavy programme to go through. Some sixteen resolutions figured on the agenda paper and it is hoped the Congress will close it sitting this night. Quite a good number of delegates and visitors have already left Nagpur and as a result there was a distinct fall in attendance to-day. But still the pandal was sufficiently packed to keep all the volunteers, who number about one thousand, busy in preserving order. The press arrangements this year had been more unsatisfactory and press members of the Committee had been particularly conspicious by their absence. The President moved two resolutions; one saying that, as it was necessary in the interests of India to disseminate correct information in foreign countries the British Congress Committee and paper "India" be abolished; the other paying homage to the memory of MacSwiney and sympathising with Ireland in her struggle for independence.

Both the resolutions were adopted.

THE EXCHANGE.

Mr. S. R. Bombanji moved "Whereas His Majesty's Government of India, by bringing about an unprecedented rise in Indian sterling exchange and issuing Reverse Councils in want on disregard of Indian opinion as expressed in the minority report of the Currency Comittee to the enormous and serious loss to the Indian export trade, have pursued a ruinous policy conceived in the interests of British manufactures with the result that Indian trade and commerce have been entirely unsettled and dislocated while the British Treasury has been relieved of a substantial part of its indebtedness to India and British capitalists and manufacturers have been given enormous opportunities for dumping into this country goods which could not find their old markets in Germany and other countries, this Congress calls upon the British Treasury to make good this loss and further declares that importers, merchants and dealers of British goods will be entirely justified in refusing to complete their contracts at the present rates of exchange. Further, this Congress appoints a committee to be named by the All-India Congress Committee to take steps to deal effectively with the situation."

Mr. Bomanji said the currency policy of the Government was the cleverest peace of currency manipulation that had ever been known. It was an organised loot and legalised plunder which had made the country poorer than any of the plunders perpetrated by Nadir Shah and other Moslem invaders and India had all through been complaining of political wrongs. But, if ever a true history of economic wrongs and economic injustices done to India was written with fairness and the spirit of truth, it would present the blackest chapter in the whole history of India. At the conclusion of armistince, England had to pay debt of figty-five million sterling to India. England contrived plunder and appointed a Currency Commission which recommended 2 shillings rate. Thus for every exchange of fifteen rupees that India paid to England she was paid that debt by seven rupees to ten rupees for every pound and taking an average of five rupees loss per pound India incurred a loss of 275 million rupees in getting payment of debts and then again the Government issued Reverse Councils and took exchange to 2 shillings and eleven pence and asked Indian merchants to order goods at 2 shillings exchange rate. Now, all goods had arrived but exchange rate was one shilling five pence. Government knew that the exchange would come to the existing point. So all orders got by deception from Indian merchants be disregarded and contracts cancelled.

Mr. C. R. Das, while endorsing Mr. Bomanji's views, said they were plundered into two ways by the Government; firstly, by wiping away the debt owed to India and secondly, by inducing merchants through deception to order goods at 2 shillings rates.

Mr. Narain Das Purshotam supporting the resolution said that on the one hand India was paying fourteen rupees a sterling for foreign staff on the other she was being paid rupees seven to ten to every sterling for her goods and for payment of England's debts to her.

The resolution was put and carried.

BOYCOTT OF DUKE'S VISIT.

Mr. S. R. Bomanji then moved:—"That this Congress is of opinion that, in pursuance of the policy of Non-Cooperation the people of India should refrain from taking any part in the functions or festivities in honour of H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught during his forthcoming visit to India."

Mr. Bomanjee in proposing the resolution said:—"It is necessary at the outset that I should draw your attention to the fact that it is no part of our function today to show any disrespect or discourtesy to the Royal Family or to any member of it. This resolution asks you only by way of protest to call upon the people who take part in the Congress to refrain from taking part in any function or, festivities in connection with the Duke's visit. When his Royal Highness' visit was contemplated Mahatma Gandhi, very tersely and appropriately, expressed the sense of the people of India by saying that if the visit of the Prince of Wales was meant to be a proclamation to the world that India was prosperous and contented, that he was making a triumphal visit to India after the war then it would be his (the Mahatma's) duty to call upon the people of India to boycott the visit. The ostensible reason for which the Duke has undertaken this visit is in regard to the Reforms Act and to open the new councils that are going to work this Act. We the people of India do not want the Reform Act which, as have said on a previous occasion, is old antiquated and obsolete. We say it is an anachronism. Therefore, if by the inauguration of these councils, it is sought to be impressed on the world that the people of India are going to work the Reforms Act it is absolutely a delusion and a snare. It is nothing more or less than a comic opera of Gilbert and Sullivan, sought to be enacted in Delhi through the hands of the Duke of Connaught. If H.R.H., the Duke or any another member of the royal Family were put in possession of the real facts of the case, I am sure he will refuse to come to inaugurate the councils which are nothing else but a snare and a delusion. Therefore, if the false scheme of self-Government that has been given with all the flourish of trumpets is going to be inaugurated, you should be stultifying yourselves by participating in it.

Rambhajlal Chaudhuri and Mr. Asaf Ali supported and the resolution was passed unanimously.

TRADE UNIONS.

Mr. D. Chamanlal moved a resolution appreciating Labour's need of forming trades unions and placing on record its condemnation of the brutal policy of treating the lives of Indian workers as of no account under the false pretext of preserving law and order.

Mr. Chamanlal said that the greatest need of the country was helping labourers in their fight for legitimate rights. The speaker reminded the audience of the strength of Labour in England. These Unions were the greatest political assets to win the nation's liberty from the hands of the Bureaucracy. If this were properly looked after, exploitation would come to an end.

Mr. E. L. Iyer (Madras), in supporting the resolution, said that the British Government in India was based on exploitation and the administration would help the English traders against workers just as was done recently in Madras, and if an administrator like Dyer came to trouble the exploitators would raise funds and help him. The Trades Union, if strongly established, would cut the very root of the bureaucracy.

Messrs. K. P. Sinha and Chakkera Chetty also supported the resolution which was carried.

ORGANISATION OF LABOUR.

Mr. C. R. Das then moved: "That this Congress is of opinion that Indian Labour should be organised with a view to improve and promote their well-being and secure to them their just rights and also to prevent the exploitation, (1) of Indian Labour (2) of Indian Resources by foreign agencies and that the All-India Congress Committee should appoint a committee to take effective steps in that behalf."

Swami Govindanand and Pandit Dunilal Malaviya supported the resolution which was unanimously carried.

THE PEASANTS' POOR LOT

Mr. N. C. Kelkar moved "That this Congress invites the attention of the public to the policy pursued by the Government in the different provinces of India of forcibly acquiring lands on a large scale in the interest of capitalists and especially foreign capitalists by the reckless and unjustifiable use of the Land Acquisition Act and thus destroying the hearths and homes and the settled occupations of the poor classes and land holders and is of opinion that it affords further grounds for Non-Cooperation against the Government. This Congress further appeals to the Indian capitalists concerned and calls upon them to avert the impending ruin of the poor peasants."

Mr. Kelkar said that lands were being acquired not for public purposes but for the purpose of exploiters to enrich the rich at the cost of poor.

Messrs. Gourishenkar Bhargava, Abdul Basi and Rambhadara Odyar supported and the motion was passed.

POLITICAL PROSECUTIONS.

Mr. B. C. Pal moved: "That this Congress places on record its sincere sympathy with those political persons, who have been arrested and imprisoned with or without regular specification of charge and open trial and who are still detained in prison as state prisoners or whose freedom of movement and association are still restricted by executive orders and this Congress expresses the hope that their devotion to their country and the hope of early attainment of Swarajya which will render these acts of injustice impossible, will sustain them in their present trial."

Mr. Pal emphasised that the resolution was meant to convey the sympathy of the people to those sons of the country who had worked and suffered for the country but for whom the present political advance of the country would have been nowhere and who were now rolling in jail. All these prisoners were selfless workers who worked perhaps not too wisely but always too well.

Sardar Serdul Singh and Messrs. Sris Chandra Chatterjee and Sachindranath Sanyal supported, and the resolution was put and adopted.

Pandit Rambhuj Datt Chaudhuri moved that "this Congress have considered the composition and procedure of the Esher Committee and its report which, if carried out, is calculated to increase the subservience and impotence of India and is of opinion that the Report furnishes strong additional grounds for Non-Co-operation for showing how dangerous it is to postpone the immediate establishment of Swaraj."

The mover said "now that reforms were granted, the control that was up till now vested in the Government of India was carried away to Whitehall in order to make India more impotent than before."

Mr. Jamnadas Mehta, in supporting the resolution said they were carrying the lion's share of the Indian Revenue as the new councillors could not vote on military expenditure. As the administration of the country was slightly being handed over to Indians, the important machinery of Government was simultaneously being placed in the hands of Whitehall authorities. The Indian army was proposed to be utilised to further aggressive policies of Imperialism. A slave India was being asked to enslave other countries.

The resolution was put to vote and carried.

The President then moved the following resolutions which were unanimously adopted:—

"This Congress notes the resumption, in spite of the declaration of the Government of India to the contrary, of repression in the Punjab, Delhi and elsewhere and invites those concerned to bear their sufferings with fortitude and whilst respecting all lawful orders to prosecute non-violent Non-Co-operation with redoubled vigour."

"As free elementary education is the primary and urgent need of the masses of India, this Congress urges on all Congress organisations to introduce and enforce the same in their respective areas on national lines."

"This Congress is of opinion that, having regard to the wide prevalence and general acceptance of the utility of the Ayurvedic and Unani systems of medicine in India, earnest and definite efforts should be made by the people of this country to further popularize these systems by establishing schools colleges and hospitals for instruction and treatment in accordance with the indigenous systems."

"This Congress earnestly requests all the sovereign princes of India to take immediate steps to establish full responsible Government in their states."

MR. HORNIMAN'S SERVICES ACKNOWLEDGED.

"This Congress puts on record its feelings of gratefulness to Mr. B. G. Horniman, whose arduous labours and courageous championship of the cause of India have made the Indian case widely known to the people outside India and condemns the policy of the Government which still keeps him removed from the Indian people."

A string of resolutions covering thirty six articles of the new Congress constitution to read which alone it took more than hour, were all moved by Mr. Gandhi and put to vote one by one, and province by province they were all carried in almost all cases, one or two voting against. A copy of the constitution rules was not supplied to the Press even after repeated requests.

The following other resolutions were also adopted:—

INDIANS ABROAD.

"This Congress extends its hearty support to the Indians in the East Africa and South Africa in their heroic and noble struggle against the treatment meted out to them, a treatment that threatens their social, economic and political ruin by the Government of East Africa and South Africa."

"This Congress approves of the policy of peaceful Non Co-operation initiated by the Indians of East Africa with a view to securing complete equality of treatment alike in law and in practice. This Congress is painfully aware of the fact that in the present enslaved condition of the people of this country it cannot give protection to their countrymen in Fiji who have been so inhumanity treated by their Government and planters as to result in the enforced return of the poor men and women who had made Fiji their home."

"This Congress places on record its grateful ness of the nation in the matter of the treatment of Indians in the British Dominions overseas is a clear demonstration of the necessity of Non-Co-operation for the establishment of Swarajya."

"This Congress places on record its grateful appreciation of the valuable and selfless services rendered and being rendered by Mr. C. F. Andrews to the cause of indentured Indians in Fiji and elsewhere and the Indian settlers in East and South Africa."

EXPORT OF FOOD STUFFS.

"This Congress condemns the Government for its callous disregard of the immediate needs of the Indian people in reference to its policy as regards the exportation of food stuffs in spite of famine conditions prevailing and in order to mitigate the disastrous consequences thereof this Congress advises the traders not to export food stuffs (particularly wheat and rice), and further advises producers and the public not to sell such food stuffs to exporting traders and agencies or help in any way the export of these stuffs

THANKS TO PRESIDENT.

After these resolutions were passed, Mr Ben Spoor thanking the president, secretaries for the year and the Reception Committee and volunteers, paid a tribute to the President's skilful handling of the epoch-making Congress in the history of Indian Nationalism. He said that he would apprise his comrades in England that Nationalists in India were absolutely united in purpose and inspired with lofty idealism of which Mahatma Gandhi was the leader. He appealed to all to scrupulously observe non-violence, and keep the movement pure. He was glad to know that in this country, an effort was being made to lead this nation along the difficult path of renunciation, but the only path that could help to reform human progress.

Mr. Mohamad Ali, while supporting the resolution, paid an eloquent tribute to the President's bold advocacy of Indians' rights in council and instanced his splendid opposition to the Law of Conspiracy. Generations would remember that it was given to the President to conduct the deliberations of an assembly, where the Indians once for all declared to be no longer slaves. The sweep of Nationalism was tremendous as a natural sequel to that tremendous tyranny that had been prevalent in the country for the last 170 years. People cried shame on any one, because they could ill afford to lose a single worker in the cause of the uplift of the nation at a time when masses were unanimous. The next Congress, he honed, would be a Parliament of the Nation that had freed itself from the soul-killing tyranny not with violence and bloodshed, but with absolute readiness to undergo tyranny that tyrants could impose.

Mr. Shaukat Ali, while emphasising the indissoluble union between the Hindus and Mahomedans, warned the Government that if they did not right the Punjab and Khilafat, nor granted Swarajya, they must go away bag and baggage.

MR. GANDHI'S APPEAL FOR FUNDS.

Mr. Gandhi here appealed to the audience to contribute their mite to the Tilak Swarajya Memorial Fund to achieve that Home Rule which was the late Mr. Tilak's *mantra* of every day life.

As a result of the appeal Seth Jamanlal, Chairman of the Reception Committee, donated one lakh of rupees to be utilised in helping those lawyers who might after suspending their practice take up national work and find themselves in need of pecuniary assistance.

Professor Ram Murti followed with Rs. 1,000 and other subscriptions poured in and some Rs. 5,000 were also promised on the spot, including some gold rings. One lady assured Mr. Gandhi that women of India could do their part creditably. On the invitation of a gentleman from Gujrat the Congress agreed to assemble next year at Ahmedabad amidst shouts of "Mahatma Gandhi-ki-Jai."

NAGPUR CONGRESS,

SPLENDID UNANIMITY DISPLAYED.

(From our Special Representative.)

NAGPUR, Jan. 1.

The Nagpur Congress will go down to posterity as a body of Indian public opinion which revolutionised Indian mentality and gave Indian political thought a definite charge of devotion and inspired amongst Indians a sense of fellow-feeling based on the consciousness of increased self-respect. The astonishing thing is that it managed this in the shortest session on record, that is to say although its sittings were spread over six days the actual session was managed within twenty-six hours. The subjects committee talked, the Congress ratified. The tribunes of the people were unanimous in the sincerety of their varying political prejudices, but only in the subjects committee pandal. In the open Congress they decided to speak with the voice of concord, amity and forebearance. Surprisingly quick was the mobility of public opinion three days ago, as regards the terms of the Gandhi-Das compact regarding Non-cooperation. But still more surprising was the happy concord it achieved and it made every Indian National leader genuinely enthusiastic in his support of the Non-cooperation resolution. This resolution couched in all the dignity of legal phraseology has been ascribed as a climb down from the Calcutta session by the extremists in the Gandhi camp. The Gandhi camp now

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"NEED FOR STRONG VICEROY."

THE NAGPUR CONGRESS.

ENGLISH PRESS COMMENTS.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, Dec. 29.
Recd. 1-45 p.m. Jan. 2.

In a leading article on the Nagpur Congress, "The Morning Post" says that the cry for popular government is unsubstantial and finds no echo in the heart of the Indian people, who chiefly desire to be left alone under a government which can be counted on not to oppress them in new and inordinate ways. The Indian people always lean to the winning side and if the extremists agitators can make it appears that they are winning, the Indian people will probably do what the agitators order. The paper declares that a strong Viceroy is needed immediately, who is not a politician ex but a soldier or nobleman of character and of approved wisdom in dealing with men.

"THE TIMES."

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, Dec. 29.
Recd. 1-45 p.m. Jan. 2.

"The Times" in the course of a leading article emphasises the ill-effects of the delay in the selection of the new Viceroy, especially in India. The paper points out that this militates against the prospects of Indian Governors, for it would be difficult for any of them to arrange to return to England in time to be back in India as the Viceroy by the beginning of April.

ENGLISH PRESS COMMENTS.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

LONDON, Dec. 29.
Recd. 1-45 p.m. Jan. 2.

In the course of a leading article reviewing the story incidents at the Nagpur National Congress "The Daily Telegraph" says, those seem to be completely justified who believe that the pace in India has been unduly forced and that the changes recently sanctioned by Parliament are premature. Referring to the conflicting gospels of Messrs. Ghandhi and Chariar, the paper asks whether it is any wonder that disgust is felt at the unpractical fanaticism, which instead of raising Indians to "supreme spiritual heights" involves the ruin of Indian industries and the reduction of India to anarchy.

DECLINE IN RUBBER PRICES

MEASURES FOR CURTAILING OUTPUT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Dec. 30.
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"The Times" City correspondent notes that owing to the continued weakness of rubber, some plantation companies are urging the Rubber Growers' Association to adopt measures curtailing output by more than the existing twenty-five per cent. Indeed some propose that the Association should bring about a complete cessation of tapping. It is unlikely, however, that the Association will act precipitately. Some experts are of opinion that it is impossible to enforce complete stoppage of production. Probably the industry will surmount present ordeal by a compromise between voluntary restriction and curtailment of production.

INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

INCREASE OF INDIAN PERCENTAGE

METHODS OF RECRUITMENT

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 29.
Recd. 10 p.m., Jan. 1.

Mr. Montagu has amended the conditions of entry for the Indian Civil Service for candidates from Britain and has fixed the percentage of recruitments from India. The open competitive examination in London will be the main but not the only channel of entry. It will be open to all subjects with the reservation that Indians successful in examinations will not be allotted to Burma, nor successful Burmans to India. The Age-limit is reduced from 21 to 23, but the probationary period of study for the final examination is extended to two years. The course of probation will include law, jurisprudence, study of Indian languages, history and economics. The recommendation in the Montford Report that the percentage of Indian recruitment should be one-third, rising by one and a half per cent. annually for ten years to the maximum of forty-eight per cent. is adopted, as all-round figure to cover the total Indian recruitment, which will be obtained chiefly in India by four methods namely, separate competitive examinations, nomination, promotion from provincial civil servise and appointment from the bar. The first of these will be the main source of Indian recruitment and will always exceed nominations by over two-thirds. The age-limit for the examination will be 19 to 23. Successful candidates as well as nominated ones will come to Britain for two years' probation. The number of Indians to be recruited in India will be fixed yearly after taking account of the number recruited otherwise. Since it will not be possible to hold the Indian examination in 1921 the number of Indians required in the ensuing year under the percentage scheme will be obtained by nomination. It is hoped to hold the first competition in India in about one year's time.

RUMOURED SPLIT IN BRITISH LABOUR PARTY.

DENIED IN HEAD-QUARTERS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
LONDON, Dec. 30.
Recd. 7 p.m., Jan. 1.

Rumours of a split in the British Labour Party are denied in headquarters in London to-day. An official stated that the present tendency was towards greater unity. Repeated applications of some British Bolshevists to enter the party had been rejected.

SPLIT IN SOCIALIST CONGRESS

THREE CONFERENCES SITTING.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 30.
Recd. 7 p.m., Jan. 1.

Tours.—Two ground walked out when the vote of the Socialist Congress adhering to Moscow was announced. The Congress continues but it is split, three conferences meeting simultaneously. Paris newspapers commenting on the split point out that Communists merely completed the work of disintegration initiated in last May, since when membership of the Seine Trade Union Federation has fallen from 292,000 to 140,000 and that of the General Confederation of Labour from 1,500,000 to 600,000.

THE SOCIALIST CONFERENCE

JOINT CONFERENCE OF RIGHT AND CENTRE PARTIES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 30.
Recd. 11 a.m., Jan. 2.

Tours.—The Socialist, right and centr parties are holding a common conference with a view to securing anti-communist fusion. M. Frossard, addressing the communist section urged that those who had issued the manifesto should remain in the party.

SURRENDER OF FIUME.

ITALY'S TERMS LIKELY TOBE ACCEPTED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 31.
Recd. 11-15 a.m. Jan. 2.

Rome.—The Italian terms for the surrender of Fiume include release of all prisoners, restoration of all arms and ammunition and other stores seibed from Italians, all Legionaries except inhabitants leave town in five days immediate abandonment of the islands of Veglia and Arbe and d'Annunzio to quit Fiume. It is expected that the terms will be accepted.

PROPOSAL FOR NEW SMYRNA GOVERNMENT.

TURKS DECLINE GREEK PROPOSAL

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 31.
Recd. 11-15 a.m. Jan. 2.

Smyrna.—The Greek Archbishop to-day met the leading Turkish Nationalists of Smyrna and the suggestion was made that the local Greeks and Turks combine for the formation of a new government in opposition to the Athens Government. The Turks however replied that there was no need for such a combination, as they believed that Smyrna would soon be restored to Turkey.

JAPANESE IMMIGRATION.

ATTITUDE OF U. S. AND DOMINIONS

JOINT ACTION IMPROBABLE.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)
LONDON, Dec. 30.

Washington.—American papers have lately been drawing attention to the possibility of the combination of Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa with United States with a view to maintaining a united front against Japaese immigration. The idea appears to have originated in a recent speech of Senator Lodge in which he declared that he would welcome some kind of arrangement with the Dominion's regards Asiatic immigration, adding that their danger was the same as that of the United States. Searching investigation has failed to produce evidence pointing to the existence of the progress of any formal negotiations with view to the conclusion of such an arrangement and Senator Lodge has declined to elaborate his view.

SITUATIONS NOT THE SAME.

Embassy circles point out that at present there appears to be no occasion for adoption of any new policy by Britain or the Dominions as regards Japan, while by treaty arrangements, some of which far ante-date Japan's rise to the position of a first class power, the right of local dominion governments to control Japanese immigration and similar questions has been fully established and these powers have been exrcised many years without protests from Japan. Therefore it is declared that the situation in these dominions is radically different from that of the Pacific coast states, where the Japanese claim that they have been enjoying certain privileges of American citizenship under the provisions of the Japanese-American Treaty.

"ARMED RESISTANE TO CROWN UNLAWFULL."

ARCHBISHOP OF TUAM'S PASTORAL

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 30.
Recd. 0-30 a.m., Jan. 2.

Following upon the Bishop of Cork's recent pastoral ex-communicating murderers the Archbishop of Tuam has issued pastotoral in which he declares that armed resistance to the Crown is unlawful. He draws attention to the new canon of law under which members of secret societies plotting against Church and State are *ipso facto* excommunicated. He says that the oaths of such societies are not binding and that members must leave them. He refers to the recent raid on Aran Isles alway most peaceful and yet subjected to an orgy of terrorism by Crown forces.

REPORT OF NILE PROJECTS COMMISSION.

EXONERATES SIR M. MACDONALD.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
Recd. 0-30 a.m. Jan. 2.
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The Report of the Projects Commission headed by Mr. F. S. Gebbie apponted on January 10th 1920 by the Egyptian Government to consder proposals of the Ministry of Public Works for the further regulation of the Nile water supply for the benefit of Egypt and the Sudan, completely vindicates Sir Murdoch Macdonald Adviser to the Ministry of Public Works, whom Sir accussed of falsifying gauge readings. The William Willcocks and Colonel Kennedy report approves the entires series of irrigation works on the Upper Nile, which have been the subject of fierce controversy during the past five years.

INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE.

PROTOCOL SIGNED BY TWENTY-ONE NATIONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 30.
Recd. 7 p.m., Jan. 1.

The necessary number of nations, namel twenty-two have signed the protocol providing for the establishment of a permanen Court of International Justice. Portugal, Switzerland Denmark and San Salvador also signed the protocol for compulsory adjudication.

MESOPOTAMIAN SITUATION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 31.
Recd. 2-20 p.m., Jan. 2.

The Cabinet this morning, it is understood dealt principally with the situation in Mesopotamia.

BRITISH REVENUE RETURNS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LNODON, Dec. 31.
Recd. 2-20 p.m. Jan. 2.

The revenue for the past quarter amounted £269,504,230 sterling compared with £237,252,905 for the corresponding quarter 1919. The revenue for the past nine month amounted to £888,803,728 sterling compared with £696.251,704 for the corresponding period of 1919.

DISARMAMENT OF GERMANY.

FRENCH EMPOWERED TO ACT.

BRITAIN SATISFIED WITH THE GERMAN WAY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 30.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Jan. 1.

The diplomatic correspondent of the "Evening Standard" is authoritatively informed that unless the German Government immediately undertakes by definite action to meet her disarmament obligations France will be empowered to act.

While the British Government is generally satisfied with the way in which Germany has met her obligations regarding regular army all the Allies are united in sympathy with the protests against formidable self-defence organisations which, the German Government declares, it is unable to disband or control.

DISARMAMENT OF GERMANY

OBSOLETE FRENCH FORTS TO BE DISMANTLED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 30.
Recd. 11 a.m., Jan 2.

Paris.—It is semi-officially stated that M Leygues to-day conferred with the British and Italian Ambassadors on the subject of the disarmament of Germany. Marshal Foch's report regarding the present state of the execution of the military, naval and aerial clauses of the Peace Treaty was handed to allied ambassadors. France will probably add a request for a further conferen to settle the question as soon as possible.

Paris.—A Bill has been introduced into the Chamber, providing for the dismantling of a number of French fortifications including Dunkirk, Calais, Brest, Toulon, Belfort and Verdun on the ground that the fortifications are obsolete.

GERMAN DEMAND FOR FAIRER JUDGMENT

DENIAL OF INFRINGEMENT OF TREATY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 30.
Recd. 11 a.m., Jan. 2.

Berlin.—The German reply to the Inter-Allied Note of the 29th protests against the assertion that Germany is infringing the Treaty of Versailles regarding police and demands "fairer judgment." Germany claims that the measures she has taken regarding disarmament fully comply with the Treaty.

DISCUSSION IN BRITISH CABINET.

The above question formed the subject of discussion in the British Cabinet yesterday at which Lord D'Abernon, British Ambassador in Berlin, and Field-Marshal Wilson were present.

SITUATION IN LANCASHIRE

SLUMP IN THE MARKET.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 31.
Recd. 11 a.m., Jan 2.

A gloomy account of the situation in Lancashire is given by the "Times" Manchester correspondent, who says that most of the markets seem to be absolutely tied up. Lancashire is not prepared to make the drastic cuts necessary to create a new demand. Mills and warehouses are glutted with goods manufactured at higher rates. Unless the demand increases, it looks as though short time would have to be extended. Financial stringency and slump in trade due to declining values are delaying easing of the situation. A few prophesy improvement before February or March.

DE VALERA IN IRELAND.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LNODON, Dec 31.
Recd. 2-20 p.m. Jan. 2.

New York.—De Valera's secretary announces that President De Valera has arrived safely in Ireland.

MONTAGU'S SILVER REPORT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 31.
Recd. 11 a.m., Jan. 2.

Messrs. Montagu's report states that the market continues to be largely artificial. Considerable business is being done daily, mostly against operations in the China exchange. It is unreconsable to imagine that China actually wants silver. About ten million ounces are *en route* there and the stock already in Shanghai is abnormally heavy, while there is no scarcity of silver in the interior. China's relation to silver is vital to the future of the metal.

GREEK REPLY TO ENTENTE NOTE.

"CONSTANTINE—THE RIGHTFUL KING."

ASSURANCE OF CO-OPERATION WITH ALLIES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 30.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Jan. 1.

Reuter understands that the Greek reply to the *Entente* recording the recall King Constantine warmly declares that the friendship of Greece towards the Allies was never greater than to-day. It points ou that Constantine is the rightful King, that he never abdicated and has now been recalled by the overwhelming vote of the Greek people. It is added that the most fervent desire of the Greek people is to cooperate in the fullest manner with the Allies.

WRANGELITES IN GALLIPOLI

GREEK FEARS OF A MUTINY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)
LONDON, Dec. 30.
Recd. 11 a.m., Jan. 2.

A telegram to the "Daily Chronicle" from Athens says, that the Greek Government is seriously embarrassed by remnants of General Wrangel's starving and typhus-tricken army, which is in Gallipoli armed with ten thousand rifles. A mutiny is feared. The Greeks have cordoned off the peninsula and are supplying stores.

DEPUTATION OF RUHR COAL-MINERS.

DISARMAMENT OF BAVARIA DEMANDED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 31.
Recd. 11-15 a.m. Jan. 2.

Berlin.—A deputation of Ruhr a coal-miners has arrived to secure the speedy disarmament of Bavarian Einwohnerwehr on the ground that the miners do not wish to be exposed to allied occupation of Ruhr. It is reported that the miners have threatened to deprive Bavaria of coal, if she is refractory.

NEW FRONTIERS OF PALESTINE.

ANGLO-FRENCH AGREEMENT.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)
LONDON, Dec. 29.
Recd. 1-45 p.m. Jan. 2.

According to "The Temps" by the new Anglo-French agreement with regard to the frontiers of Palestine and Syria, the new frontier of Syria and Mesopotamia runs from Intar at the southeastern corner of Haurah north-east across the Syrian desert of which the northern portion falls to France and traverses the ancient caravan route from Damascus to Baghdad and the Persian Gulf and reaches the Euphrates at Abukemal; thence crosses Jazira so as leave the western Khabur river to France and Sinjar to Mesopotamia. From Rumeilankeui the frontier goes direct to the Tigris, then up the river to the new southern boundary of Turkey.

ITALY AND FIUME DELEGATES.

COMPLETE AGREEMENT REACHED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LNODON, Dec. 31.
Recd. 2-20 p.m. Jan. 2.

Rome.—Newspapers report that a complete agreement has been reached between Government and the delegates. legionaries lost in recent fighting with regulars one hundred and twenty of whom four were killed. It is reported from another source that the official figure of fifty regulars killed is much underestimated. The largeness of the casualties is due to the regulars advancing with all officers at the head and almost abstaining from firing. D'Annunzio is still Fiume, but is no longer regarded as a hero Italy, which is disgusted at his attitude.

SUBSCRIPTIONS TO FRENCH LOAN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LNODON, Dec. 31.
Recd. 2-20 p.m. Jan. 2.

Paris.—In the Chamber to-day, the Finance Minister M. Marsal said subscriptions to the last loan were estimated at twenty-seven billion francs of which nine thousand one hundred millions were new money.

REPORTED RECALL OF KRASSIN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 31.
Recd. 11-15 a.m. Jan. 2.

Reuter learns that Government has no knowledge of the reported recall of M. Krassin. Negotiations with him were proceeding on the 29th, when it was arranged that they would be continued on the 31st It is untrue that Britain desires to depart from the agreement reached in June.

BOMBAY GOVERNMENT.

COUNCILLORS AND MINISTERS.

The following press note is issued by the Government of Bombay:—

His Majesty the King-Emperor of India has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen to be Members of the Executive Council of the Governor of Bombay:—

The Hon. Sir G. S. Curtis, K.C.S.I., I.C.S.

The Hon. Sir Ibrahim Rahimtoola, Kt., C.I.E.

The Hon. Mr. M. H. W. Hayward, I.C.S

The Hon. Sir Chimanlal Harilal Setalvad, Kt.

His Excellency the Governor of Bombay has been pleased to appoint:—

The Hon. Shaikh Ghulam Husain Hidayatallah.

The Hon. Mr. Chunilal V. Mehta.

The Hon. Mr. Raghunath P. Paranjapye to be his Ministers to administer Transferred subjects.

The gentlemen named above will take upon themselves the execution of their offices on the afternoon of the 3rd January, 1921.

OBITUARY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 29.
Recd. 10 p.m., Jan. 1.

Deaths are announced of Sir John Ormerod Thuisby, Rear-Admiral E. S. Garforth and Sir A. C. Talbot.

MADRAS COUNCIL.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
MADRAS, January 1.

It is understood that the Madras Legislative Council will meet on the 8th instant and elected and nominated members after taking their oaths will take their seats. H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught will formally open the Council on 12th January.

NEW YEARS' HONOURS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LNODON, Dec. 31.
Recd. 2-20 p.m. Jan. 2.

New Year's Honours include the following:—

Peerages:—Sir William Beardmore, Sir Ernest Cable, Sir Brooks, Marshall, Vaughan Davies, M.P., Colonel Stewart Mackenzie of Seaforth.

Companions of Honour:—Reverend Joh Clifford, Sir John Ellerman.

Baronetcies: Lieut.-General Baden Ponier partner in a firm of army bankers, Conwell, Sir Archibald Birkmyre, R. H. Cox, nor partner in a firm of army bankers, Commander August Cayzer, Chairman of the Clan Line, Colonel Yate M.P.

G. C. M. G:—Brigadier-General Sir William Manning, Governor of Ceylon.

Knighthoods:—T. J. Bennet, M.P., Henry Gallan, Attorney-General, Ceylon, W. P. Rylands, President of the Federation of British Industries, Actor Martin Harvey.

NEW YEAR GREETINGS.

H. M. KING-EMPEROR'S MESSAGE.

The following Press Note is issued:—

"In reply to a telegram of greetings and good wishes for the New Year, sent by the Governor of Bombay, on behalf of the Princes and People of the Bombay Presidency, His Majesty the King-Emperor has been graciously pleased to send the following message:—

'I cordially thank the Government, Princes and People of the Bombay Presidency for their loyal greetings and good wishes which I much appreciate. It is my earnest hope that the New Year may be for this great province one of great prosperity and happiness.'"

MR. CHINTAMANY'S SPEECH

PRESS COMMENTS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
CALCUTTA, Dec. 31.

Commenting on the presidential address of Mr. Chintamani, the "Indian Daily News" says:—"That the whole speech is 'extremist' from the beginning to the end, minus a few 'moderate' catchwords thrown in here and there to give it a moderate flavour."

"BENGALEE."

The "Bengalee" says:—"That the president had spoken out his mind freely and boldly and surveyed the situation with a perfect candour. He made it abundantly clear that the Moderate party declines to endorse the hysterical descriptions of the British Government, but they are thoroughly sensible of the wrongs that have been perpetrated and grievous failure of justice."

BRINDABAN GURUKUL.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION.

(FROM A CORRSPONDENCE.)
BRINDABAN, Jan. 2.

The Gurukul Brindaban ceremony was celebrated from 24th to 28th December splendidly. Swami Sabadanand, Prof. Ramdev, Dr. Shyamsarup, Pandit Gangaprasad, Bhai Permanand, Pandit Indraj and many other profound scholars, Sanyasis, and lecturers graced the occasion and delivered soul stirring lectures. Great enthusiasm prevailed throughout. Visitors numbered about 10,000 in all. Arrangements were quite satisfactory and subscription amounting to Rs. 20,000 was collected. Brahmachari Rameshchands feats e.g. motor stopping, chain breaking and muscle development proved to be most interesting and attractive. Three Brahamcharis were declared successful Santaks and were many medals for literary merits. Anniversary on the while was most successful. 23 new Brahmacharis were nearly admitted.

LATEST CABLES

HAS DE VALERA LANDED IN IRELAND?

HIS FARWELL MESSAGE TO U. S.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 31.
Recd. at 1 a.m., Jan. 3.

A telegram from New York states that Sinn Fein officials declare that it had been imperative, lately, to reiterate that De Valera is in hiding in New York in order to secure his landing in Ireland. It is assumed that he has shipped as one of a crew. The Secretary declines to state the purpose of De Valera's return, but has distributed the President's farewell to the United States:—"I part from the land of the free and the home of the brave. Farewell. May you never know the agony of a foreign master's lash."

WILDEST RUMOURS.

A later message states that up to the present there are no signs of De Valera landing in Ireland. As usual, in such cases, the wildest rumours are being circulated in Ireland, including one that he has landed in Galway, in connivance with Government, to help in peace moves. A New York message states that De Valera's secretary declares that De Valera's object in returning to Ireland was to resume active leadership of the Irish Provisional Government and to forward the cause of insurgents.

DAVIS CUP.

CARRIED OFF BY AMERICANS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Dec. 31.
Recd. at 1 a.m., Jan. 3.

Auckland.—By the victory of Tilden and Johnston over Brookes and Patterson in the Third Match of Challenge Round, the American have carried of Davis Cup. The remaining games do not affect the fate of the Cup.

STUDENTS AND NON-COOPERATION.

THE TRUE MUSLIM STANDPOINT.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE".

Sir,—Your contributor Mr. G. K. N. after more than a month's silence and without replying to my letter appearing in "The Chronicle of the 5th inst. in refutation of his contribution against Non-cooperation of the 23rd Nov. 1920, has again thought at to open a new campaign against N.C.O. in the columns of the "The Chronicle" of the 28th inst. This time he comes out under a new role, i.e., a well-wisher of the students particularly Muslims who in his opinion are recklessly rushing into the unknown at the beck and call of the N.C.O. leaders just like the children of Hamelin town who followed the Pied-piper and were gathered into regions beyond mortal ken. G. K. N. states that in the mass of literature both English and Urdu with which the country is flooded no Moulana, no man of learning, no historian has yet pointed to an actual instance of passive resistance as having occurred in the annals of Islam. From the above statement, G.K.N. seems to be perfectly convinced, and therefore tries to convince others that N.C.O. has never been practised by any Muslim and adherence to it is therefore impossible for the followers of Islam. G.K.N. is under the impression that in cases of injustice Islamic history only abounds in instances of active and violent resistance, and that the passive resistance movement has been of modern origin. Therein lies his mistake. Just as in his former letter he tried to depict Mahatma Gandhi a follower of Christ, St. John, St. Luke, Tertullian and the Buddhist Cult of Nibritti so in his present letter he endeavours to show that Islam is and has always been a militant religion and that it has no place for passive resistance. Will one great example of a man whom the Mohammedans venerate next to the prophet and his four immediate successors be sufficient to convert him into a N. C. Operator or will he continue to stick to his own doctrine? For his and readers' enlightenment, I give below the following instance of a grand Muslim Non-Co-operator. Abu Hanifa Al Noman Ebu Thabet called Imam-e-Azam (the great law giver) was born at Cufa in the 80th year of the Hegra and died in the year 150 (A.H.). He ended his life in prison at Bagdad, because he refused to be made a Cazi or judge on which account he was very harshly dealt with by his superiors, yet could not be prevailed upon either by threats or ill-treatment to undertake the charge choosing rather to be punished by them than by God. He excused himself from accepting the office by alleging that he was unfit for it, for said he "If I speak truth I am unfit but if I tell a lie, a liar is not fit to be a judge (Vide the Preliminary Discourse Sale's Translation of the Koran). Now Abu Hanifa is considered the greatest authority on the jurisprudence of Islam by the Muslims. He was commanded by the Khalif-atul Momenin of his time to accept the office of a judge but he preferred to obey the command of his God and the dictates of his conscience, and thus he set at naught the authority of the Khalif, resisted passively and ended his days in captivity. Does G. K. N. want more examples after the above one? If so then I will be constrained to say with the greatest regret that he is an unreasoning bigot?

Yours, etc.

HAKIMRAMLAL RAMNARAIN.

28, Frere Road;
Bombay Dec. 31.

ALL-INDIA SOCIAL CONFERENCE.

MR. V. J. PATEL'S ADDRESS.

'CASTE SYSTEM MUST GO.'

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

NAGPUR, Jan. 1.

The Indian National Social Conference met to-day in the Congress pandal at 8 a.m. It was a complete success thanks to the exertions of Mr. S. M. Chitnavis, Mr. M. V. Joshi, and Mr. R. G. Pradhan and others. Among those present were Mr. Gandhi, Mr. C. Vijayaraghavachariar, Pandit Motilal Nehru, Mr. Mahomed Ali, and Rao Bahadur R. N. Mudholkar. Mr. Chitnavis, Chairman of the Reception Committee, in touching upon the progress made in social reform, said:—"I would request you to look at your present society and compare it with what it was 30 years ago and you will find that our social surroundings have considerabley changed and social friction is materially diminished. The Conference has so moulded and shaped public opinion that actual practical reform has become possible and easy. Society has become immensely tolerant and social ostracism has ceased to be unbearable or even uncomfortable."

"RAISE THE DEPRESSED CLASSES."

Mr. V. J. Patel who occupied the presidential chair delivered a comprehensiv speech in the course of which he observed:—"Politics have now been transformed into social reform and both have been elevated to the still higher plane of moral and spiritual advance. I attach special importance to the clause about the depressed classes in this year's Non-cooperation resolution passed by the Congress because of the context in which it appears. It is no longer as a concession to social reformers that it finds a place in the Congress programme; it is there as a vital part of the immediate practical programme before the country. would urge you not to let politics, any more than religion, interfere with the amenities of social life. Our freedom perishes if we do not raise those whom we have kept down. Our workers claim the closest attention of social and political reformers who do not wish for the repetitions of the evils of Western industrialism in India and is it necessary to say that till our women take their rightful place in the affairs of the nation our advance must needs be slow?"

The All-India Social Conference was held this morning in the Congress pandal. The attendance was very large and among those present were Mr. Gandhi, Mr. Mahomed Ali, Mr. Vijiaragha vachariar and Pandit Motilal Nehru. Mr. V. J. Patel, in the course of the presidential address said that the social reformers all over the country had cause to rejoice over the momentous decisions of the National Congress, which meant an accession of new strength for the reorganisation of Indian Society. The Congress had found that salvation lay in setting their house in order by a process of purification. Politics were now transformed into social reform and both had been elevated to the still higher plane of moral and spiritual advance. The great national decision asked society to organise itself, the state of its ideals and aspirations, instead of leaving it to their alien masters to devise means for the realisation of their dreams.

POLITICS-SOCIAL REFORM.

There was but one programme before the country. A radical reconstruction had to set in to make social organisation an effective instrument to serve the ends of individuals and national freedom. Th Congress resolution on Non-cooperation was indeed a comprehensive programme of politico-social reform. The caste system must go root and branch, and he was sorry to find Mr. Gandhi ranging himself in this matter on the side of re-action. All social relations must be based on justice freedom and consent, if these were to be the features of the then political institutions. Democracy would be nothing but a dream if in the same breath, caste distinctions were observed. In this new order, when they sought revaluation of all values, individual lives must become living protests against such arrogant superstitions that had reduced religion into a bundle of meaningless fads.

The immediate necessities of the situation therefore required a wide network of national institutions in which the youths of the country might grow to the full height of their stature breathing the air of fearless freedom, gathering knowledge without losing the spirit of reverence, inlined with pride in the past and faith in the future and mindful above all of the living present. Concluding Mr. Patel warned against the danger of social boycott on political grounds.

Blame It on Your Nerves

Nervous, weak and excitable people suffer from headache, neuralgia, hysteria, wakefulness and experience over-excitement and worry and anxiety over almost any little cause. A safe and efficient remedy for such conditions to give you rest and strength and to prove a true nerve tonic is Prof. James' Electro Tonic Pearls. Rs. 2-4 per bot. of 40 Pearls, by V. P. P fee.

Anglo-Indian Drug & Chemical Co.

Juma Musjid, BOMBAY.

INDIA'S CALL FOR SACRIFICE.

(Continued from page 9.)

means ninety-nine and a half per cent of the assembled delegates. Some said that its language judicious in its aspect and meticulously precise in the way in which it asks the Indian nation immediately to practise in the direction of Non-cooperation has lost the vigour and energy of the Calcutta Special Congress appeal to Indians. "No—not at all" declared the Mahatma in the open Congress. We have made Non-cooperation methods much more effective and much more practical. We have made the organisation of that programme an immediate and practical possibility. We do say that the entire or any part or parts of the scheme of non-violent Non-cooperation with the renunciation of voluntary association with the present Government at one end and the refusal to pay taxes at the other should be put in force at a time to be determined by either the whole Congress or its premier executive body the All-India Congress Committee. In the meanwhile the resolution asks the nation to enter on a preparatory stage and the salient features of that stage are that it calls upon school children who are not less than 16 years in age to withdraw from schools and colleges. This proviso about the age of sixteen was disliked by the extreme section of the Khilafat politician and Maulana Hajrat Mohim wanted to insist upon an amendment which could allow the children to leave the schools and colleges if their conscience dictated it. How can a child of four know what its conscience dictates was a question freely asked amongst those who were opposed to the amendment being moved on the ground that needlessly confuses the issue. At last the amendment was withdrawn before being formally moved. The Non-cooperation resolution also called upon the Indians serving in the army to take part in the programme by means of a special paragraph.

The Congress reopened the growing friendliness between the police and the soldiery and the people and hopes that the former would refuse to subordinate their creed and country to the fulfilment of orders of their officers and by courteous and considerate behaviour towards the people would remove the reproach hitherto levelled against them that they were devoid of any regard for the feelings and sentiments of their own people. When Mr. C. R. Das read out in the open Congress this paragraph it was vociferously cheered. Now this Congress has had the distinction of having called the attention of the British press to its deliberations and three of its special correspondents are here. "The Manchester Guardian's" special representative has been warmly welcomed and he would be sure not to misinterpret the meaning of this paragraph.

SUBJECTS COMMITTEE'S SITTINGS.

A RESUME.

From Our Special Representative.

NAGPUR, Dec. 31.

It is astonishing what little actual work the Subjects Committee of this year's Congress did after three days of strenuous debate. The All-India Congress Committee, which had been convened two days before the actual session of the Congress, shelved the discussion of all vital matters to the Subjects Committee. This was on the 24th. On the 25th the political leaders had a holiday. On the 26th the delegates sheard with as much discomfort as possible,—for which nobody except the idea of being against the limitation of delegates was at fault—the Presidential speech and elected delegates to the Subjects Committee. So great was the importance attached to the questions of revising the Congress constitution, particularly the Creed that the President called the Subjects Committee meeting next day and the Congress pandal was utilised for other Congress, the vast mass of delegates being rendered compulsory sight seeing. The Committee began the Creed debate and for six solid hours the debate ran on. It must be mentioned here that amongst responsible journalists in whose memory the just complaint of Pandit Motilal Nehru against the Indian Press at the Amritsar session, had made a lasting impression, there was a belief that it was their duty when they happened to be themselves members of the Subjects Committee to remain deliberately innocent of the impropriety of reporting proceedings in which opinions were expressed with a sense of privacy and in confidence. To their astonishment, however, thy found that the authorities had allowed a large number of visitors who attended the Subjects Committee deliberations as voteless and passive spectators. Great resentment has been produced in responsible Congress quarters as a result of this latitude. The proceedings of the Subjects Committee have been reported in the daily Press, with the result that next year, the Congress leaders are entertaining the idea of issuing an authorised press version and rigorously excluding anybody connected with the Press.

The solid Gandhi majority secured the Gandhi revision of the creed. The Congress met from 12 to 4 p.m. on the 28th and discussed the Creed. The fact that the unanimous vote of all the provinces was necessary reminded the Congress Executive of the of finding a speedy and accurate machinery for registering the votes of no less than 14,500 delegates and the Congress was adjourned to the morning of the 29th.

The Subjects Committee met again and began to discuss the remaining articles of the Gandhi draft. Two hours of debate, which were richy enlivened by the humorous remarks of the President who knew always how to calm down offended feelings, showed how necessary it was to provide work for the next session of the Congress as the point at issue namely the limitation of delegates had produced such a variety of interesting opinion that it was impossible to ignore the various dissenting voices, who clamoured to be heard and heard in patience.

ENDING OF BRITISH COMMITTEE.

So for the third day the committee resolved to postpone revising the constitution and brought up the question of ending or mending the British Committee of the Congress. Mahatma Gandhi said it should end and so it did end. The vigorous oration of Mr. Holford Knight, the utilitarian arguments of Mr. Ben spoor, the English supporters of the idea of retaining the Congress Committee in England, were of no avail They met, therefore, in a sub-committee and this committee recommended the ending of the British Committee and Mahatma Gandhi's advice that the Congress should only affirm that India should disseminate correct information about Indian questions in foreign countries, was duly accepted.

The subjects committee went back then to the limitation of delegates, the famous Article ten, regarding which there raged a veritable war of words. Amendments, poured in and recourse had to be made to a subcommittee, which, it was hoped, would burn the midnight oil to solve the difficulty of finding a *via media* of conciliation between those who wanted to retain an *ad libitum* numbers of delegates and those who waned the number to be rigorously restricted as in the Gandhi draft. At last the committee's report was adopted. The next day. It laid down that the number of delegates shall not be more than one for every 50,000 and provided for the representation of women and minorities. It left the provincial Congress Committees to frame the machinery of election.

HOMAGE TO MR. MACSWINEY.

The principle of limitation of delegates was thus accepted, though there was a volume of sentimental opinion against it and provided work for the Congress by the passing of a resolution of homage to Mr. MacSwiney, the martyred Mayor of Cork. The Committee went on next day to discuss the problem of redistributing the Congress circle on linguistic bases. Hardly was the matter mentioned, when the Committee found itself engulfed in a mass of technical difficulties, each group of representatives pressing their claims. Mr. Patel cleverly got a separate circle for Bombay Island. The discussion was continued until 1-30 a.m. this morning.

The limitation of delegates was not accepted as cheerfully as one would have expected, even by those all purported to be Gandhi men. Many of them insist on keeping the Congress on as a demonstrative affair—an annual event which should be considered a sacred political pilgrimage. Mr. Gabriel Stockes, whom the "Chronicle" readers will remem for his outspoken special contributions on forced labour in Simla hills, had brought with him some Pahadi hillmen as delegates and these picturesque gentlemen, clad in full panoply of tribal dress, were, indeed, glad to have made the pilgrimage. There are here others like them ready to suffer any inconvenience in order just to have an annual look at the national leaders and to feel that they have taken a part, voiceless but ornamental, in the surging national movement. The intelligence of the Congress power is determined to make it a deliberative affair and Mr. Gandhi, to avoid the charge that our resolutions are meaning less, and passed by people who are not delegates in the real sense of the term, is anxious to make the delegation to the Congress a serious matter. This feeling, coupled with the idea of redistribution of provinces, will enable the Congress Executive to ascertain Indian national opinion through well determined regular channels. The linguistic redistribution was fixed to-day in the morning session of the Subjects Committee, which, to the relief of the tired and fagged out members, proved to be the last. Karnatak and Andhra were created separate provincial Congress cities and Bombay City was separated from Gujarat and Maharashtra, which territories will now be independent political Congress entities. The financial part sof the constitution were then discussed. The All-India Congress Committee was kept at the figure of 350, a number which will give the Executive of that body a novel happy creation composed of thirty members a stable financial income from the members' fees. The constitution will be passed this evening, *en bloc* in the open Congress.

The General Secretaries newly elected were Pandit Motilal Nehru, Dr. Ansari and Mr. Rajagopalachari.

MR. BEN SPOOR THANKS THE PRESIDENT.

TRIBUTE TO MR. GANDHI.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

NAGPUR, Jan. 1.

Mr. Ben Spoor in seconding the motion of Dr. Moonjee thanking Mr. Vijiaragha vachariar for presiding over the Congress said:—"I regard it as a very high honour that I have been asked to second the resolution of thanks to the president, of what I believe, every one will agree is the most epoch-making Congress that has ever been held in the history of Indian Nationalism. I have been sitting in the Subjects Committee and at some sittings of the Congress and have been, literally amazed at the extraordinary skill that your president has shown and the extraordinary manner in which he maintained peace and order in this vast audience of thirty thousand. In the Subjects Committee he kept us all in a straight and narrow path, and you are to be congratulated on having secured as your president a man who, by his conduct and by his geniality, has been guiding your deliberations with such extraordinary success.

UNITY OF CONGRESS.

Perhaps before I sit down I may be allowed to say good-bye to my comrades who are as delegates here to-night. I came to your country just a short time ago and I would be leaving it in about seven days. I carry away from this country some very happy memories and from this Congress some very real inspiration. I will be able to tell my comrades in the Labour Movement in Britain that the nationalists in India are absolutely united (hear hear). Attempts are being made in the Anglo-Indian press to convey the idea that there has been disunion at this Congress (cries of "no, no"). I read a statement in an Anglo-Indian paper this morning in which that was suggested. I will be very glad that I will be able to go to England and say that this statement is absolutely false. Never in my life have I seen a body of men and women so united and so determined and inspired by loftier ilealism than you people have shown during the last few days. Dark and difficult days lie ahead of you; there are formidable obstacles that have got to be faced; but for God's sake keep your movement pure.

TRIBUTE TO MR. GANDHI.

Try, every one of you, to show the same splendid idealism, the same singleness of purpose that inspires the man who leads you—Mahatma Gandhiji (applause). I come from the west and I have sometimes wondered during recent years whether after all it is this great country of India that is going to lead this world back to the paths of sanity During the last few years, when the world was convulsed by war, one wondered whether any voice would be raised that would remind nations of the madness of the old methods of force. I am glad to know that, in your country, an effort is being made to lead this nation along the difficult path of renunciation, the only path that can lead to real human progress (hear hear).

As I said to you the other day, we in the West need you people of the East For some reason or other you do seem to possess the spiritual insight that, in these days, we in the west are lacking in. I pray that God may help you in your task to strengthen your arms, to keep your movement absolutely pure and free from violence. If that can be done I have not the slightest doubt about your freeing India, but you will do a great deal more. You will teach other nations in other parts of the world how to make themselves really free. (Loud and prolonged cheers).

"MARCH FORWARD AND SUCCEED."

PRESIDENTS CLOSING SPEECH.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

NAGPUR, Jan. 1.

The President in dissolving the session of the Congress made a long extempore speech in the course of which he said: "My duty today is somwhat different from which you called upon me to open the proceedings. Then I was bound to lay before you the situation of the country and to lay also before you for acceptance *in toto* or for rejection, if you please, what I believed to be the views of the country not only personally arrived at but in consultation with my Hindu and Moslem friends and even European friends who are not merely amidst us but also of us such as Rev. Mr. Andrews. My first duty now is not to repeat what I said before, but to interpret the resolutions arrived at and to point out what lies behind them for the benefit of the rulers, non-official Europeans and the world. It is not the list resolutions which you have passed that will give them any idea of the national soul that is being roused and that is making rapid march towards the destiny which you are determined to elevate under the law of God National passion has been aroused and Mahatma Gandhi has touched it with holy fire and our enthusiasm for getting into freedom from which we have been kept out for over 170 years has now been aroused and has reached a degree which I am sorry the bureaucrats have not been here to see. No it is this enthusiasm which is behind the resolutions which you have passed.

UNANIMITY OF THE CONGRESS.

Interpreting the resolutions themselves the first and foremost is the unanimity with which you have passed the two important resolutions of Non-Co-operation and the First Article of the Congress creed.

I may honestly tell you that when my countrymen resolved to invite me to preside over this Congress I was trembling when I thought of the situation. I hesitated for three days and all the same while was afraid, I was buoyed up by hope and inspired by my duty to stand and face the situation whatever might be the consequences. My hope was that I know that at the bottom our countrymen are just, kind, generous and humane. I should have been sorry if in my embarrassment I had declined the honour which you bestowed upon me and I should have lived a miserable life if I had not responded to the call of my country.

As for the Non Co-operation resolution, has been arrived at after considerable hesitation and consultation at a workable basis to the dismay of your enemies and I hope to the very pleasant disappointment of some of these who were away from us because, on the one hand, they had thought they would not be treated properly—I am sorry for that—and on the other hand, feared there might be some split. They must all be now glad that their fears proved futile and unfounded. I am very sorry that your Reception Committee made a mistake. They ought to have invited some of the prominent bureaucrats of the country to come and stay here throughout the proceedings. If they had done so they would have gone home and revised their old Bible, that they were the heaven-appointed wardens of the illiterate and teeming millions of India and that the people who support the Congress were few, a microscopic few. They would have seen that they had been living hitherto in a fool's paradise.

A MASS MOVEMENT.

What is it that has brought about this change of things? We have got simply as delegates, apart from visitors, 15,000 men the vast majority of whom are what we call the ordinary people of the country, by no means the educated minority, much less the lawyer minority. As far as I could ascertain the lawyer element has been extremely small in this Congress. This is the greatest Congress yet held in India and I believe the proportion of lawyers is yet the smallest. (A voice: "Open to question"). Well that may be your view but that is what I believe of the proportion of the lawyer element. Be that as it may. The delegates to this Congress are 15,000 drawn from the whole country. Taking the proportion of 700 members of the House of Commons to the people of India, you will find that the latter is three times the proportion that the House of Commons bears to the people of England. On the other hand, the bureaucracy here or the trustees appointed—I do not know by whom (a voice: "By themselves")—of the dumb and teeming millions of India. If they had come here, would have found that it is not the few microscopic minority that lead the people, but it is the people that are practically leading the leaders, (hear, hear.) I am sure you will see that this is the commencement of true democracy. I have already said that democracy means universal education and universal suffrage and it is very necessary that the thinkers are brought down from their flights of imagination to think and act with the people. In no democracy can a few people hope to be the leaders of the whole country."

SPIRIT OF DEMOCRACY.

Referring to the spirit of democracy now prevailing in the country which he said it was impossible to crush by repression, the President instanced a story. Once there was a heavy storm and the ocean began to put forth huge waves and the people who were hitherto living in safety began to fly inward with all the things available. There was an old woman who did not like to go inward and carry her things. She took her broom and went towards the waves in order to beat back the rushing ocean. S was helpless and was swept away by the waves. The same will be the fate of the bureaucracy if they try by repression to put back that spirit and like that old woman would not only be beaten, but in her attempt she lost all that she had in her cottage. It is time the bureaucracy revised their old ideas about us.

BROKEN PROMISES.

It is time that they no longer confess our sins but confess their own sins. Only, then and not till then, could there be spiritual contentment of the noble cause which President Wilson and M. Clemenceau said was looming on the horizen of freedom when the war began. When the war was concluded we found that so many statements which led us to sacrifice men and money were all re-edited. Very kind words were substituted for old words. The sovereignity of people gave place to self-determination. When war came to an end these principles were set aside and applied only to European minorities in Turkish territories, but so far as Turks were concerned those maxims were not thought of. In the face of all this our duty is now very plain. It is to carry on the culture and the spirit to accelerate the evolution of the national ideal as you have been doing hitherto. The masses as a whole as distinguished from individuals have begun to move and I want you to see that it moves forward and forward and never goes backwards. Whatever methods you adopt eventually for achieving your freedom, what ever may be the form which may be reached by this culture of the national ideal, the movement of the masses is to be kept up. Unless this is kept up reaction may take place, and, if it does, our doom is sealed We have to educate the masses and to see that the masses as a whole receive more and more fire, more and more impetus, and purge themselves of impurities that may have lurked hitherto and then we can see the dawn of freedom. ...

THERMOPYLAE OF INDIAN POLITICS.

Nagpur has been the Thermopylae alike in the history of the Congress and the history of our country. Over the graves of Thermopylae it was written: "Here we die for our country's sake." Any of you who might be subjected to repression if you mean to adopt and carry out the principle of renunciation and sacrifice, you shall have to act likewise whether you say so or not. and tell your brothers, sisters, father and mother: "Here we suffer, and here we shall die for our country's sake." My interpretation therefore of this Congress is that under whatever name the world may call it, Non-Cooperation is behind the people. People educated, uneducated men, women, and children, all are up for freedom—the freedom which has been denied to them these 170 years and the evils of the absence of freedom have been accentuated these two years ever since the Punjab tragedy began. Our duty is independent of the particular methods that may be adopted from time to time to educate ourselves and to march onward and onward.

MR. PATEL'S RESIGNATION.

Continuing the President thanked all for having made his duties smooth and the Reception Committee for their very warm reception. Referring to Mr. Ben Spoor's appreciation of his handling the deliberations

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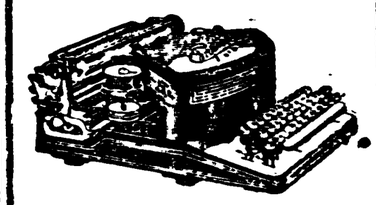

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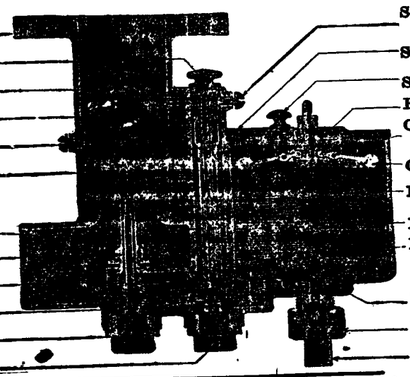

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INDIA'S CALL FOR SACRIFICE

(Continued from page 11.)

both in the Subjects Committee and in the open Congress, the President said he feared that his rulings might not have been always correct but they were all *bona fide*.

He regretted Mr. Patel's resignation of the General Secretaryship, but was satisfied that the veteran patriot Pandit Motilal Nehru had extended to him the right hand of fellowship. Mr. Patel would however continue to assist him with his valuable experience.

MESSAGE TO LABOUR PARTY.

Coming to greetings from the Labour Party the President, while reminding that it was for Indians themselves to work out their salvation, said it would be unfair and improper if a selfless offer of friendship and alliance as sent by the Labour Party through Mr. Ben Spoor should not be availed of by us. In the name of the Congress he asked Mr. Ben Spoor to convey to the Labour Party a message of India's fraternal greetings and hoped that the friendship and alliance thus begun would admit of no obstacle, but will admit of everything that will promote the spirit of this alliance.

Concluding the President said the very warm reception accorded to him all round would be the most sustaining factor in his old age, an age which depended more on memories and very little on actualities (loud applause.)

After this a few "Bande Mataram" songs were sung in chorus and the Congress was dissolved.

ALL INDIA CONGRESS COMMITTEE.

MR, BOMANJI'S SPLENDID CONTRIBUTION.

(Associated Press.)

NAGPUR, Jan. 1.

The All-India Congress Committee under the new constitution was held this morning with Mr. C. Vijiaraghavachariar in the chair and in pursuance of the Non-Co-operation resolution, a working committee consisting of nine members of the All-India Congress Committee and three general secretaries and president as officers and members was constituted. At the same meeting Mr. Bomanji has offered, and the All-India Congress Committee has accepted with thanks, a donation to the All-India Tilak Memorial Swaraj Fund of ten thousand rupees a month until Swaraj is obtained. Seth Jamanlal Bajaj, Chairman of the Reception Committee of the Nagpur Congress has contributed one lakh of rupees to from part of the All-India Tilak Memorial Swaraj Fund and to be disposed of by Mr. Gandhi in supporting lawyers who give up practice and desire to serve the country and who require to be supported.

INDIAN NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Council of the Burmense Association has passed a resolution declaring that U. Po. Bye elected to the Council of State is not a representative of the Burmese people and that social boycott be practised against him.

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A meeting of the aided school teaches held on Friday, considered steps to be taken to safeguard their position, position resulting from boycott and strike and discuss the threatened dismissal of teachers proposed national school.

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The stewards of the Royal Calcutta Turf Club have appointed Captain A. Howard M.C., as Secretary of the Club, in succession to Mr. A. Fawcett, who retires in March next.

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The Governor of Bengal has nominated Mr. K. Chowdhury, President of the Employers' Association, to represent the wage earners and labouring classes in the Bengal Legislative Council.

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GAZETTE OF INDIA.

(Associated Press.)

DELHI, Dec. 31.

Education Department:—Captain H. H. King, I.M.S., is appointed to Bacteriological department.

Foreign and Political Department:—Mr. H. A. Falsen is appointed Consul-General for Norway at Calcutta. Lt.-Col. J. H. Hugo, I.M.S., is posted as Residency Surgeon, Kashmir.

Commerce Department:—Mr. C. R. Watkins, Assistant Collector Customs, is permitted to return from service in Mesopotamia.

Army Department:—Following Majors in Indian Medical Service are promoted Lieutenant Colonels:—A. G. Mckendrick, O. S. J. Moses, F. W. Sumner, H. R. Nutt, W. D. Ritchie, N. E. H. Scott, J. K. S. Flemming, E. C. Hepper, C. E. Southen, G. Towler, J. Husband, H. B. Foster, C. L. Kerans, C. B. McConag H. Williams, E. W. Browne, J. B. Christian, A. Murphy, L. B. Brassey, C. F. Marr and P. L. Oneill. Major-General R. R. Cassels to be Major-General, Cavalry Army Head Quarters vice Major-General H. P. Leader retired. Lieut.-Colonel J. Donald, Commandant, Calcutta Battalion, is appointed Honorary A. D. C. to the Biceroy.

Railway Department:—Mr. H. Clayton officiates as Deputy Chief Engineer, E. B. Railway.

INDIAN MINING FEDERATION.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Jan. 1.

At a special meeting of the Indian Mining Federation resolutions recently adopted by the Bengal Chamber asking stoppage of coal export to foreign countries and diversion of coal from rail to sea route were considered. Speeches were made protesting against the preferential treatment in wagon supply.

The following resolution was carried:—"That no special supply of wagons should be given to any purposes except those of R. I. M., Loco and public utility and that wagons available for despatch of coal for requirements of public should all be distributed to collieries ratably on basis of their respective raisings and stocks.

BANGALORE "VAIZ" CASE.

(Associated Press.)

BANGALORE, Jan. 1.

The District Magistrate has passed the following order in the Mosque matter:—"whereas parties, namely Oomer Sait petitioner is the Sur Khazi and three others have been duly heard and their witnesses re-examined and whereas it appears to me that owing to the position taken up by either party, three is likelihood of abstruction or annoyance to persons lawfully employed or of a disturbance of the public tranquillity if the "Vaiz" and "Zirath" ceremonies for the deceased Haji Abdulla Haji Esak are in the present circumstances performed in the Jumma Musjid and whereas I consider that such direction is likely to prevent such obstruction or annoyance or a disturbance of public tranquillity and that speedy remedy is desirable, I hereby direct that no person shall perform the said particular ceremonies in the Jumma Musjid. This order is open to revision or cancellation on it being shown to the Court's satisfaction that circumstances have changed."

ECONOMIC CONFERENCE.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Dec. 31.

The Annual Conference of the Indian Economic Association has commenced here, with Dr. Gilbert Slater in the chair. In his opening address the chairman said one of the main objects of the Conference was impress on the mind of the gneral public the value of the study of economy for the progress of the nation.

A large number of members from the various parts of India are attending the conference and interesting papers on the economic porblems are being read and discussed.

WEATHER.

(Associated Press.)

SIMLA, Jan. 1.

The weather has been dry except for a few falls North, Assam and on South Corommondal Coast. Negapatah reports three-quarters of an inch.

Forecast.—No large change.

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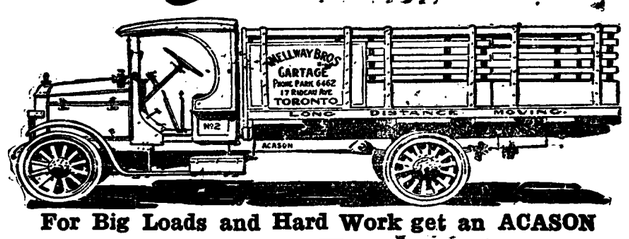

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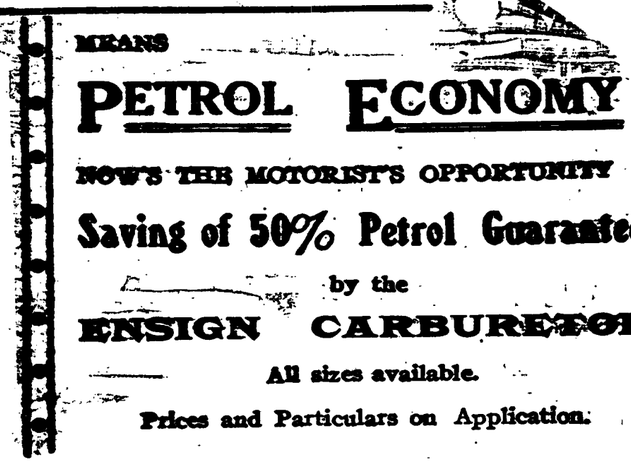

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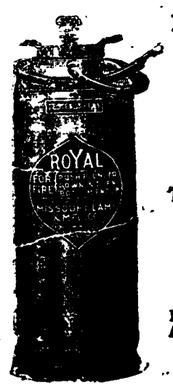

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